

# **SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC LIBRARY**

## **ANNUAL STATISTICAL SUMMARY** **State Fiscal Year 2007**



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The South Carolina Public Library Annual Statistical Summary, FY07 is presented for use by libraries, Library Trustees, library support groups, researchers, and the general public as a gauge of the ongoing activities and operations of South Carolina's public libraries and as a tool for comparison and planning. Data reported for South Carolina State Fiscal year 2007 (July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007) is covered in this document.

The Summary follows the model developed in previous years, with a few updates and clarifications. The report, prepared by Library Development Staff at the State Library, is a straightforward presentation of data collected via the Bibliostat Collects online survey instrument. Some analyses have been made following the earlier model for ease of comparison from one year to the next.

Printed copies of the report have been distributed, one per County. The report is also available in digital format on the State Library's website: <http://www.statelibrary.sc.gov/sc-library-statistics>.

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### **Relationship of Statistics to Library Standards**

The data in this report refer back to the 1998 edition of the ***South Carolina Public Library Standards***. Established, printed standards provide a way for public libraries to assess the quality and effectiveness of services, resources, personnel and facilities. South Carolina's annual library statistics, measured against these standards over periods of time, show how individual libraries compare to their own past performance and to that of other libraries. Statistical "measurements" that refer back to agreed-upon standards are taken so that a clear picture of each library and of all South Carolina libraries can be presented to librarians and to the public. They are important tools to use as librarians seek to improve services to South Carolina residents.

### **Clarification of selected data elements**

- "Total operating income" includes funds from all sources, excluding non-recurring revenue.
- "Local operating income" includes county, municipal, or other local appropriation of tax dollars.
- FTE calculations are based on a 40-hour work week.
- "Turnover rate" is based on ratio of total print volumes to total print circulation.
- "Per capita" is based on population figures from the 2000 U.S. Census, except where noted; beginning in FY 2003, some calculations use the jurisdiction's latest official population estimates – these are noted.

# **South Carolina Public Library Standards - PUBLIC LIBRARY STAFFING**

**FTE Staff\*\***

| Library      | Population* | Basic Service<br>Level 8:25,000 | Full Service<br>Level 12:25,000 | Comprehensive<br>Service Level<br>16:25,000 | FY07 FTE<br>Staff for this<br>library* |
|--------------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--|
| ABBE         | 207,283     | 66.33                           | 99.50                           | 132.66                                      | 56.87                                  |
| Abbeville    | 26,167      | 8.37                            | 12.56                           | 16.75                                       | 1.00                                   |
| AHU          | 58,325      | 18.66                           | 28.00                           | 37.33                                       | 11.78                                  |
| Anderson     | 185,000     | 59.20                           | 88.80                           | 118.40                                      | 77.88                                  |
| Beaufort     | 137,849     | 44.11                           | 66.17                           | 88.22                                       | 77.95                                  |
| Berkeley     | 152,282     | 48.73                           | 73.10                           | 97.46                                       | 50.50                                  |
| Calhoun      | 15,026      | 4.81                            | 7.21                            | 9.62  | 6.03                                   |
| Chapin       | 23,214      | 7.43                            | 11.14                           | 14.86                                       | 12.00                                  |
| Charleston   | 331,917     | 106.21                          | 159.32                          | 212.43                                      | 254.00                                 |
| Cherokee     | 53,555      | 17.14                           | 25.71                           | 34.28                                       | 13.71                                  |
| Chester      | 34,068      | 10.90                           | 16.35                           | 21.80                                       | 7.38                                   |
| Chesterfield | 43,500      | 13.92                           | 20.88                           | 27.84                                       | 12.98                                  |
| Clarendon    | 33,363      | 10.68                           | 16.01                           | 21.35                                       | 9.02                                   |
| Colleton     | 39,832      | 12.75                           | 19.12                           | 25.49                                       | 11.70                                  |
| Darlington   | 67,394      | 21.57                           | 32.35                           | 43.13                                       | 24.89                                  |
| Dillon       | 31,027      | 9.93                            | 14.89                           | 19.86                                       | 8.82                                   |
| Dorchester   | 118,979     | 38.07                           | 57.11                           | 76.15                                       | 38.00                                  |
| Fairfield    | 23,810      | 7.62                            | 11.43                           | 15.24                                       | 7.25                                   |
| Florence     | 131,097     | 41.95                           | 62.93                           | 83.90                                       | 67.00                                  |
| Georgetown   | 60,983      | 19.51                           | 29.27                           | 39.03                                       | 23.97                                  |
| Greenville   | 417,166     | 133.49                          | 200.24                          | 266.99                                      | 165.03                                 |
| Greenwood    | 68,213      | 21.83                           | 32.74                           | 43.66                                       | 24.60                                  |
| Horry        | 210,757     | 67.44                           | 101.16                          | 134.88                                      | 53.00                                  |
| Kershaw      | 57,490      | 18.40                           | 27.60                           | 36.79                                       | 15.49                                  |
| Lancaster    | 63,135      | 20.20                           | 30.30                           | 40.41                                       | 15.75                                  |
| Laurens      | 70,374      | 22.52                           | 33.78                           | 45.04                                       | 16.65                                  |
| Lee          | 20,119      | 6.44                            | 9.66                            | 12.88                                       | 3.75                                   |
| Lexington    | 240,160     | 76.85                           | 115.28                          | 153.70                                      | 96.25                                  |
| Marion       | 34,904      | 11.17                           | 16.75                           | 22.34                                       | 13.19                                  |
| Marlboro     | 29,152      | 9.33                            | 13.99                           | 18.66                                       | 5.63                                   |
| McCormick    | 10,226      | 3.27                            | 4.91                            | 6.54  | 2.75                                   |
| Newberry     | 37,300      | 11.94                           | 17.90                           | 23.87                                       | 9.00                                   |
| Oconee       | 70,567      | 22.58                           | 33.87                           | 45.16                                       | 20.68                                  |
| Orangeburg   | 92,070      | 29.46                           | 44.19                           | 58.92                                       | 19.64                                  |
| Pickens      | 113,575     | 36.34                           | 54.52                           | 72.69                                       | 45.71                                  |
| Richland     | 348,226     | 111.43                          | 167.15                          | 222.86                                      | 235.28                                 |
| Saluda       | 19,059      | 6.10                            | 9.15                            | 12.20                                       | 3.76                                   |
| Spartanburg  | 271,087     | 86.75                           | 130.12                          | 173.50                                      | 172.50                                 |
| Sumter       | 105,517     | 33.77                           | 50.65                           | 67.53                                       | 36.65                                  |
| Union        | 28,306      | 9.06                            | 13.59                           | 18.12                                       | 9.00                                   |
| Williamsburg | 38,105      | 11.55                           | 17.33                           | 23.11                                       | 8.45                                   |
| York         | 208,000     | 66.56                           | 99.84                           | 133.12                                      | 57.78                                  |
| Total        | 4,326,179   | 1,384.38                        | 2,076.57                        | 2,768.75                                    | 1,803.27                               |
| Median       | 62,059      | 19.86                           | 29.79                           | 39.72                                       | 16.20                                  |
| Average      | 103,004     | 32.96                           | 49.44                           | 65.92                                       | 42.94                                  |

**ALA/MLS Staff\*\*\***

| Library      | Basic Service<br>Level 2.5:25,000 | Full Service<br>Level 4.5:25,000 | Comprehensive<br>Service Level<br>6.5:25,000 | FY07 MLS Staff for<br>this library** |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| ABBE         | 20.73                             | 37.31                            | 53.89  | 11.00                                |
| Abbeville    | 2.62                              | 4.71                             | 6.80   | 1.00                                 |
| AHU          | 5.83                              | 10.50                            | 15.16  | 0.88                                 |
| Anderson     | 18.50                             | 33.30                            | 48.10  | 15.24                                |
| Beaufort     | 13.78                             | 24.81                            | 35.84  | 25.00                                |
| Berkeley     | 15.23                             | 27.41                            | 39.59  | 10.00                                |
| Calhoun      | 1.50                              | 2.70                             | 3.91   | 1.00                                 |
| Chapin       | 2.32                              | 4.18                             | 6.04   | 3.00                                 |
| Charleston   | 33.19                             | 59.75                            | 86.30  | 70.00                                |
| Cherokee     | 5.36                              | 9.64                             | 13.92  | 0.88                                 |
| Chester      | 3.41                              | 6.13                             | 8.86   | 2.38                                 |
| Chesterfield | 4.35                              | 7.83                             | 11.31  | 0.94                                 |
| Clarendon    | 3.34                              | 6.01                             | 8.67   | 0.94                                 |
| Colleton     | 3.98                              | 7.17                             | 10.36  | 3.00                                 |
| Darlington   | 6.74                              | 12.13                            | 17.52  | 5.41                                 |
| Dillon       | 3.10                              | 5.58                             | 8.07   | 0.94                                 |
| Dorchester   | 11.90                             | 21.42                            | 30.93  | 7.00                                 |
| Fairfield    | 2.38                              | 4.29                             | 6.19   | 1.80                                 |
| Florence     | 13.11                             | 23.60                            | 34.09  | 16.00                                |
| Georgetown   | 6.10                              | 10.98                            | 15.86  | 1.88                                 |
| Greenville   | 41.72                             | 75.09                            | 108.46                                       | 45.38                                |
| Greenwood    | 6.82                              | 12.28                            | 17.74  | 7.50                                 |
| Horry        | 21.08                             | 37.94                            | 54.80  | 14.00                                |
| Kershaw      | 5.75                              | 10.35                            | 14.95  | 4.13                                 |
| Lancaster    | 6.31                              | 11.36                            | 16.42  | 4.00                                 |
| Laurens      | 7.04                              | 12.67                            | 18.30  | 4.00                                 |
| Lee          | 2.01                              | 3.62                             | 5.23   | 0.00                                 |
| Lexington    | 24.02                             | 43.23                            | 62.44  | 25.00                                |
| Marion       | 3.49                              | 6.28                             | 9.08   | 3.75                                 |
| Marlboro     | 2.92                              | 5.25                             | 7.58   | 0.94                                 |
| McCormick    | 1.02                              | 1.84                             | 2.66   | 0.25                                 |
| Newberry     | 3.73                              | 6.71                             | 9.70   | 1.00                                 |
| Oconee       | 7.06                              | 12.70                            | 18.35  | 3.75                                 |
| Orangeburg   | 9.21                              | 16.57                            | 23.94  | 5.63                                 |
| Pickens      | 11.36                             | 20.44                            | 29.53  | 11.40                                |
| Richland     | 34.82                             | 62.68                            | 90.54  | 68.37                                |
| Saluda       | 1.91                              | 3.43                             | 4.96   | 0.94                                 |
| Spartanburg  | 27.11                             | 48.80                            | 70.48  | 32.00                                |
| Sumter       | 10.55                             | 18.99                            | 27.43  | 4.75                                 |
| Union        | 2.83                              | 5.10                             | 7.36   | 1.00                                 |
| Williamsburg | 3.61                              | 6.50                             | 9.38   | 0.94                                 |
| York         | 20.80                             | 37.44                            | 54.08  | 13.75                                |
| Total        | 432.62                            | 778.71                           | 1,124.81                                     | 430.77                               |
| Median       | 6.21                              | 11.17                            | 16.14  | 3.88                                 |
| Average      | 10.30                             | 18.54                            | 26.78  | 10.26                                |

\* Jurisdiction's latest official population estimate as reported in the FY07 data survey.

\*\* FY07 Survey data element B24

\*\*\* FY07 Survey data element B9

Standard: Basic, Full, and Comprehensive Service Levels as indicated. See *South Carolina Public Library Standards*, 1998 for complete definitions.

FTE calculations are based on a 40-hour work week.

# South Carolina Public Library Standards - LIBRARY COLLECTIONS

## Materials for Public Use - Volumes per capita

| Library      | Population* | Basic Service<br>Level: 2.5<br>volumes | Full Service<br>Level: 3.5<br>volumes | Comprehensive<br>Service Level: 4.5<br>volumes | FY07<br>volumes<br>held by this<br>library** | FY07 volumes<br>per capita for<br>this library |
|--------------|-------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| ABBE         | 207,283     | 518,208                                | 725,491                               | 932,774  | 242,004                                      | 1.17   |
| Abbeville    | 26,167      | 65,418                                 | 91,585                                | 117,752  | 49,448                                       | 1.89   |
| AHJ          | 58,325      | 145,813                                | 204,138                               | 262,483  | 64,491                                       | 1.11   |
| Anderson     | 185,000     | 462,500                                | 647,500                               | 832,500  | 336,426                                      | 1.82   |
| Beaufort     | 137,649     | 344,623                                | 482,472                               | 620,321  | 243,747                                      | 1.77   |
| Berkeley     | 152,282     | 380,705                                | 532,987                               | 685,269  | 216,019                                      | 1.42   |
| Calhoun      | 15,026      | 37,565                                 | 52,591                                | 67,617   | 25,696                                       | 1.71   |
| Chapin       | 23,214      | 58,035                                 | 81,249                                | 104,463  | 77,089                                       | 3.32   |
| Charleston   | 331,917     | 829,793                                | 1,161,710                             | 1,493,627                                      | 1,112,479                                    | 3.35   |
| Cherokee     | 53,555      | 133,888                                | 187,443                               | 240,998  | 119,317                                      | 2.23   |
| Chester      | 34,068      | 85,170                                 | 119,238                               | 153,306  | 101,150                                      | 2.97   |
| Chesterfield | 43,500      | 108,750                                | 152,250                               | 195,750  | 70,296                                       | 1.62   |
| Clarendon    | 33,363      | 83,408                                 | 116,771                               | 150,134  | 44,370                                       | 1.33   |
| Colleton     | 39,832      | 99,580                                 | 139,412                               | 179,244  | 103,191                                      | 2.59   |
| Darlington   | 67,394      | 168,485                                | 235,879                               | 303,273  | 162,892                                      | 2.42   |
| Dillon       | 31,027      | 77,568                                 | 108,595                               | 139,622  | 104,160                                      | 3.36   |
| Dorchester   | 118,979     | 297,448                                | 416,427                               | 535,406  | 139,061                                      | 1.17   |
| Fairfield    | 23,810      | 59,525                                 | 83,335                                | 107,145  | 80,239                                       | 3.37   |
| Florence     | 131,097     | 327,743                                | 458,840                               | 589,937  | 306,755                                      | 2.34   |
| Georgetown   | 60,983      | 152,458                                | 213,441                               | 274,424  | 141,906                                      | 2.33   |
| Greenville   | 417,166     | 1,042,915                              | 1,460,081                             | 1,877,247                                      | 785,049                                      | 1.88   |
| Greenwood    | 68,213      | 170,533                                | 238,746                               | 306,959  | 106,809                                      | 1.57   |
| Horry        | 210,757     | 526,893                                | 737,650                               | 948,407  | 290,400                                      | 1.38   |
| Kershaw      | 57,490      | 143,725                                | 201,215                               | 258,705  | 112,587                                      | 1.96   |
| Lancaster    | 63,135      | 157,838                                | 220,973                               | 284,108  | 151,961                                      | 2.41   |
| Laurens      | 70,374      | 175,935                                | 246,309                               | 316,683  | 123,761                                      | 1.76   |
| Lee          | 20,119      | 50,298                                 | 70,417                                | 90,536   | 29,404                                       | 1.46   |
| Lexington    | 240,160     | 600,400                                | 840,560                               | 1,080,720                                      | 550,940                                      | 2.29   |
| Marion       | 34,904      | 87,260                                 | 122,164                               | 157,068  | 83,960                                       | 2.41   |
| Marlboro     | 29,152      | 72,880                                 | 102,032                               | 131,184  | 57,822                                       | 1.98   |
| McCormick    | 10,226      | 25,565                                 | 35,791                                | 46,017   | 31,527                                       | 3.08   |
| Newberry     | 37,300      | 93,250                                 | 130,550                               | 167,850  | 57,148                                       | 1.53   |
| Oconee       | 70,567      | 176,418                                | 246,985                               | 317,552  | 188,881                                      | 2.68   |
| Orangeburg   | 92,070      | 230,175                                | 322,245                               | 414,315  | 151,761                                      | 1.65   |
| Pickens      | 113,575     | 283,938                                | 397,513                               | 511,088  | 173,316                                      | 1.53   |
| Richland     | 348,226     | 870,565                                | 1,218,791                             | 1,567,017                                      | 1,236,946                                    | 3.55   |
| Saluda       | 19,059      | 47,648                                 | 66,707                                | 85,766   | 18,541                                       | 0.97   |
| Spartanburg  | 271,087     | 677,718                                | 948,805                               | 1,219,892                                      | 756,153                                      | 2.79   |
| Sumter       | 105,517     | 263,793                                | 369,310                               | 474,827  | 146,766                                      | 1.39   |
| Union        | 28,306      | 70,765                                 | 99,071                                | 127,377  | 46,396                                       | 1.64   |
| Williamsburg | 36,105      | 90,263                                 | 126,368                               | 162,473  | 55,695                                       | 1.54   |
| York         | 208,000     | 520,000                                | 728,000                               | 936,000  | 279,233                                      | 1.34   |
| Total        | 4,326,179   | 10,815,448                             | 15,141,627                            | 19,467,806                                     | 9,175,792                                    | 2.12   |
| Median       | 62,059      | 155,148                                | 217,207                               | 279,266  | 121,539                                      | 1.85   |
| Average      |             | 257,511                                | 360,515                               | 463,519  | 218,471                                      | 2.05   |

## Volumes Weeded

| Standard: 5% of<br>collection weeded*** | FY07 volumes<br>weeded | % of library's<br>book collection<br>weeded in<br>FY07 |
|---|------------------------|--|
| 12,100                                  | 11,686                 | 4.83%  |
| 2,472                                   | 3,509                  | 7.10%  |
| 3,225                                   | 9,383                  | 14.55%   |
| 16,821                                  | 12,195                 | 3.62%  |
| 12,187                                  | 25,559                 | 10.49%   |
| 10,801                                  | 13,262                 | 6.14%  |
| 1,285                                   | 2,526                  | 9.83%  |
| 3,854                                   | 1,510                  | 1.96%  |
| 55,624                                  | 88,297                 | 7.94%  |
| 5,966                                   | 5,712                  | 4.79%  |
| 5,058                                   | 1,302                  | 1.29%  |
| 3,515                                   | 1,844                  | 2.62%  |
| 2,219                                   | 2,101                  | 4.74%  |
| 5,160                                   | 11,238                 | 10.89%   |
| 8,145                                   | 11,984                 | 7.36%  |
| 5,208                                   | 6,415                  | 6.16%  |
| 6,953                                   | 14,103                 | 10.14%   |
| 4,012                                   | 2,752                  | 3.43%  |
| 15,338                                  | 3,500                  | 1.14%  |
| 7,095                                   | 7,511                  | 5.29%  |
| 39,252                                  | 72,174                 | 9.19%  |
| 5,340                                   | 5,098                  | 4.77%  |
| 14,520                                  | 24,935                 | 8.59%  |
| 5,629                                   | 2,544                  | 2.26%  |
| 7,598                                   | 11,705                 | 7.70%  |
| 6,188                                   | 8,555                  | 6.91%  |
| 1,470                                   | 2,868                  | 9.75%  |
| 27,547                                  | 19,870                 | 3.61%  |
| 4,198                                   | 2,666                  | 3.18%  |
| 2,891                                   | 1,198                  | 2.07%  |
| 1,576                                   | 3,188                  | 10.11%   |
| 2,857                                   | 1,738                  | 3.04%  |
| 9,444                                   | 22,075                 | 11.69%   |
| 7,588                                   | 6,649                  | 4.38%  |
| 8,666                                   | 3,897                  | 2.25%  |
| 61,847                                  | 95,249                 | 7.70%  |
| 927                                     | 556                    | 3.00%  |
| 37,808                                  | 90,396                 | 11.95%   |
| 7,338                                   | 11,347                 | 7.73%  |
| 2,320                                   | 5,124                  | 11.04%   |
| 2,785                                   | 3,327                  | 5.97%  |
| 13,962                                  | 36,874                 | 13.21%   |
| 458,790                                 | 668,422                | 7.28%  |
| 6,077                                   | 6,532                  | 6.15%  |
| 10,924                                  | 15,915                 | 6.53%  |

\* Jurisdiction's latest official population estimate as reported in the FY07 data survey

\*\* FY07 Survey data element F3, Total materials for public use (Books, Serial volumes)

\*\*\* Standard: The library withdraws an average of 5% of the collection annually in order to maintain a collection that meets the needs of the community.

# South Carolina Public Library Standards - HOURS OF SERVICE

| Library        | FY07 Total open hours for this library* | Basic Service Level 15% of Total Open Hours | Full Service Level 30% of Total Open Hours | Comprehensive Service Level 40% of Total Open Hours |
|----------------|---|---|--|---|
| ABBE           | 21,608                                  | 5,402                                       | 6,482                                      | 8,643   |
| Abbeville      | 6,162                                   | 1,541                                       | 1,849                                      | 2,465   |
| AHU            | 9,054                                   | 2,264                                       | 2,716                                      | 3,622   |
| Anderson       | 24,764                                  | 6,191                                       | 7,429                                      | 9,905   |
| Beaufort       | 11,746                                  | 2,937                                       | 3,524                                      | 4,698   |
| Berkeley       | 14,896                                  | 3,724                                       | 4,469                                      | 5,958   |
| Calhoun        | 2,470                                   | 618   | 741  | 988   |
| Chapin         | 3,676                                   | 919   | 1,103                                      | 1,470   |
| Charleston     | 37,222                                  | 9,306                                       | 11,167                                     | 14,889  |
| Cherokee       | 5,954                                   | 1,489                                       | 1,786                                      | 2,382   |
| Chester        | 5,512                                   | 1,378                                       | 1,654                                      | 2,205   |
| Chesterfield   | 8,786                                   | 2,197                                       | 2,636                                      | 3,514   |
| Clarendon      | 3,444                                   | 861   | 1,033                                      | 1,378   |
| Colleton       | 4,772                                   | 1,193                                       | 1,431                                      | 1,909   |
| Darlington     | 10,582                                  | 2,646                                       | 3,175                                      | 4,233   |
| Dillon         | 8,190                                   | 2,048                                       | 2,457                                      | 3,276   |
| Dorchester     | 6,448                                   | 1,612                                       | 1,934                                      | 2,579   |
| Fairfield      | 4,200                                   | 1,050                                       | 1,260                                      | 1,680   |
| Florence       | 14,455                                  | 3,614                                       | 4,337                                      | 5,782   |
| Georgetown     | 11,064                                  | 2,766                                       | 3,319                                      | 4,426   |
| Greenville     | 37,808                                  | 9,452                                       | 11,342                                     | 15,123  |
| Greenwood      | 9,932                                   | 2,483                                       | 2,980                                      | 3,973   |
| Horry          | 23,504                                  | 5,876                                       | 7,051                                      | 9,402   |
| Kershaw        | 6,604                                   | 1,651                                       | 1,981                                      | 2,642   |
| Lancaster      | 6,170                                   | 1,543                                       | 1,851                                      | 2,468   |
| Laurens        | 6,823                                   | 1,706                                       | 2,047                                      | 2,729   |
| Lee            | 2,860                                   | 715   | 858  | 1,144   |
| Lexington      | 23,556                                  | 5,889                                       | 7,067                                      | 9,422   |
| Marion         | 6,084                                   | 1,521                                       | 1,825                                      | 2,434   |
| Marlboro       | 3,588                                   | 897   | 1,076                                      | 1,435   |
| McCormick      | 2,288                                   | 572   | 686  | 915   |
| Newberry       | 4,888                                   | 1,222                                       | 1,466                                      | 1,955   |
| Oconee         | 10,275                                  | 2,569                                       | 3,083                                      | 4,110   |
| Orangeburg     | 3,310                                   | 828   | 993  | 1,324   |
| Pickens        | 11,908                                  | 2,977                                       | 3,572                                      | 4,763   |
| Richland       | 32,862                                  | 8,216                                       | 9,859                                      | 13,145  |
| Saluda         | 2,080                                   | 520   | 624  | 832   |
| Spartanburg    | 33,501                                  | 8,375                                       | 10,050                                     | 13,400  |
| Sumter         | 8,736                                   | 2,184                                       | 2,621                                      | 3,494   |
| Union          | 2,852                                   | 713   | 856  | 1,141   |
| Williamsburg   | 4,380                                   | 1,095                                       | 1,314                                      | 1,752   |
| York           | 15,039                                  | 3,760                                       | 4,512                                      | 6,016   |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>474,052</b>                          | <b>118,513</b>                              | <b>142,216</b>                             | <b>189,621</b>                                      |
| <b>Median</b>  | <b>7,507</b>                            | <b>1,877</b>                                | <b>2,252</b>                               | <b>3,003</b>  |
| <b>Average</b> | <b>11,287</b>                           | <b>2,822</b>                                | <b>3,386</b>                               | <b>4,515</b>  |

| FY07 Total weekend and evening open hours for this library** | % of open hours that are weekend and evening hours for this library |
|--|---|
| 5,703  | 26.39%  |
| 1,040  | 16.88%  |
| 750  | 8.28%   |
| 7,421  | 29.97%  |
| 4,303  | 36.63%  |
| 2,964  | 19.90%  |
| 416  | 16.84%  |
| 664  | 18.06%  |
| 12,891   | 34.63%  |
| 1,170  | 19.65%  |
| 1,248  | 22.64%  |
| 1,331  | 15.15%  |
| 732  | 21.25%  |
| 1,092  | 22.89%  |
| 3,432  | 32.43%  |
| 1,690  | 20.63%  |
| 1,976  | 30.65%  |
| 832  | 19.81%  |
| 3,587  | 24.81%  |
| 3,080  | 27.84%  |
| 14,334   | 37.91%  |
| 1,905  | 19.18%  |
| 7,020  | 29.87%  |
| 2,392  | 36.22%  |
| 1,300  | 21.07%  |
| 1,430  | 20.96%  |
| 780  | 27.27%  |
| 6,656  | 28.26%  |
| 1,378  | 22.65%  |
| 364  | 10.14%  |
| 936  | 40.91%  |
| 468  | 9.57%   |
| 2,575  | 25.06%  |
| 821  | 24.80%  |
| 4,108  | 34.50%  |
| 12,116   | 36.87%  |
| 312  | 15.00%  |
| 10,660   | 31.82%  |
| 2,756  | 31.55%  |
| 656  | 23.00%  |
| 930  | 21.23%  |
| 5,238  | 34.83%  |
| <b>135,457</b>   | <b>28.57%</b>   |
| <b>1,560</b>   | <b>23.90%</b>   |
| <b>3,225</b>   | <b>24.95%</b>   |

\* FY07 Survey data element G9

\*\* FY07 Survey data element G8

Standard: The library is open during hours that are based on community needs, and offers a variety of weekday, evening and weekend hours at all locations..



# South Carolina Public Library Standards - COLLECTION EXPENDITURES

Expenditures for collection (all materials)\*

| Library        | If 18% of library budget | If 20% of library budget | Collection expenditures for this library** |
|----------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| ABBE           | \$494,594                | \$549,549                | \$350,751                                  |
| Abbeville      | \$52,454                 | \$58,282                 | \$53,928                                   |
| AHJ            | \$123,979                | \$137,754                | \$66,484                                   |
| Anderson       | \$864,718                | \$960,798                | \$605,665                                  |
| Beaufort       | \$704,691                | \$782,983                | \$520,154                                  |
| Berkeley       | \$466,880                | \$518,755                | \$447,639                                  |
| Calhoun        | \$46,557                 | \$51,730                 | \$39,511                                   |
| Chapin         | \$193,057                | \$214,508                | \$201,980                                  |
| Charleston     | \$2,548,811              | \$2,832,013              | \$2,142,832                                |
| Cherokee       | \$151,561                | \$168,401                | \$136,862                                  |
| Chester        | \$158,457                | \$176,063                | \$128,683                                  |
| Chesterfield   | \$73,314                 | \$81,460                 | \$75,393                                   |
| Clarendon      | \$89,863                 | \$99,848                 | \$79,013                                   |
| Colleton       | \$149,521                | \$166,134                | \$139,894                                  |
| Darlington     | \$206,950                | \$229,944                | \$147,969                                  |
| Dillon         | \$77,833                 | \$86,481                 | \$115,226                                  |
| Dorchester     | \$370,553                | \$411,726                | \$318,981                                  |
| Fairfield      | \$92,730                 | \$103,033                | \$96,658                                   |
| Florence       | \$616,591                | \$685,101                | \$369,344                                  |
| Georgetown     | \$254,025                | \$282,250                | \$179,317                                  |
| Greenville     | \$2,040,125              | \$2,266,806              | \$1,860,698                                |
| Greenwood      | \$314,120                | \$349,022                | \$236,306                                  |
| Horry          | \$647,064                | \$718,960                | \$637,623                                  |
| Kershaw        | \$144,086                | \$160,095                | \$149,061                                  |
| Lancaster      | \$163,688                | \$181,875                | \$121,354                                  |
| Laurens        | \$175,881                | \$195,423                | \$207,389                                  |
| Lee            | \$42,190                 | \$46,878                 | \$26,023                                   |
| Lexington      | \$947,923                | \$1,053,248              | \$932,780                                  |
| Marion         | \$145,444                | \$161,605                | \$82,460                                   |
| Marlboro       | \$61,338                 | \$68,153                 | \$50,331                                   |
| McCormick      | \$26,923                 | \$29,915                 | \$41,654                                   |
| Newberry       | \$63,381                 | \$70,424                 | \$78,725                                   |
| Oconee         | \$268,963                | \$298,847                | \$225,798                                  |
| Orangeburg     | \$220,935                | \$245,483                | \$204,467                                  |
| Pickens        | \$510,871                | \$567,634                | \$433,033                                  |
| Richland       | \$3,007,071              | \$3,341,190              | \$3,285,038                                |
| Saluda         | \$28,369                 | \$31,521                 | \$42,228                                   |
| Spartanburg    | \$1,376,570              | \$1,529,522              | \$1,137,366                                |
| Sumter         | \$263,415                | \$292,683                | \$211,962                                  |
| Union          | \$82,332                 | \$91,480                 | \$70,944                                   |
| Williamsburg   | \$62,364                 | \$69,294                 | \$53,866                                   |
| York           | \$765,441                | \$850,490                | \$635,770                                  |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>\$19,095,632</b>      | <b>\$21,217,362</b>      | <b>\$16,941,160</b>                        |
| <b>Median</b>  | <b>\$184,469</b>         | <b>\$204,965</b>         | <b>\$164,189</b>                           |
| <b>Average</b> | <b>\$454,658</b>         | <b>\$505,175</b>         | <b>\$403,361</b>                           |

Collection Expenditure for Audiovisual Materials\*\*\*

| If 10% of library budget | FY07 AV expenditures for this library**** |
|--------------------------|---|
| \$35,075                 | \$89,805                                  |
| \$5,393                  | \$5,702                                   |
| \$6,648                  | \$9,456                                   |
| \$60,567                 | \$32,645                                  |
| \$52,015                 | \$139,140                                 |
| \$44,764                 | \$4,075                                   |
| \$3,951                  | \$6,875                                   |
| \$20,198                 | \$35,000                                  |
| \$214,283                | \$425,809                                 |
| \$13,686                 | \$16,646                                  |
| \$12,868                 | \$3,500                                   |
| \$7,539                  | \$1,238                                   |
| \$7,901                  | \$20,623                                  |
| \$13,989                 | \$15,513                                  |
| \$14,797                 | \$18,300                                  |
| \$11,523                 | \$8,688                                   |
| \$31,898                 | \$56,348                                  |
| \$9,666                  | \$12,442                                  |
| \$36,934                 | \$90,348                                  |
| \$17,932                 | \$41,244                                  |
| \$186,070                | \$352,094                                 |
| \$23,631                 | \$21,880                                  |
| \$63,762                 | \$118,887                                 |
| \$14,906                 | \$28,988                                  |
| \$12,135                 | \$5,612                                   |
| \$20,739                 | \$25,042                                  |
| \$2,602                  | \$2,660                                   |
| \$93,278                 | \$132,240                                 |
| \$8,246                  | \$12,660                                  |
| \$5,033                  | \$5,101                                   |
| \$4,165                  | \$7,524                                   |
| \$7,873                  | \$29,989                                  |
| \$22,580                 | \$28,275                                  |
| \$20,447                 | \$16,580                                  |
| \$43,303                 | \$19,293                                  |
| \$328,504                | \$607,647                                 |
| \$4,223                  | \$5,596                                   |
| \$113,737                | \$95,000                                  |
| \$21,196                 | \$25,748                                  |
| \$7,094                  | \$8,166                                   |
| \$5,387                  | \$8,333                                   |
| \$63,577                 | \$100,000                                 |
| <b>\$1,694,116</b>       | <b>\$2,690,712</b>                        |
| <b>\$16,419</b>          | <b>\$19,958</b>                           |
| <b>\$40,336</b>          | <b>\$64,065</b>                           |

\*Standard: The library expends 18-20% of operating budget for materials purchase.

\*\*\*Standard: The library expends 10% of the materials budget for AV materials.

\*\*FY07 survey data element D8

\*\*FY07 survey data element D6

## Output Measures for Public Libraries

The challenge facing South Carolina public libraries is to achieve excellence in a rapidly changing environment. The analysis of organized data collected over time is an effective method to use for evaluating current public library services and for planning future services to meet the needs of library users.

The following reports and publications may assist libraries with planning, measurement and evaluation.

- *Strategic Planning for Results* / Sandra Nelson, 2008.
- *Managing facilities for results : optimizing space for services* / Cheryl Bryan, 2007
- *Implementing for results your strategic plan in action* / Sandra Nelson, 2009
- *The quality library : a guide to staff-driven improvement, better efficiency, and happier customers* / Sara Laughlin, 2008
- *Libraries prosper with passion, purpose, and persuasion! a PLA toolkit for success* / Public Library Association, 2007
- *South Carolina Public Library Standards* / South Carolina Public Library Standards Committee, 1998

As librarians and trustees use data to evaluate and plan, a number of points should be kept in mind:

Libraries, even in communities of similar size, have varying funding patterns and community expectations for service, therefore the data should be analyzed in terms of the library's mission, goals, and objectives.

Periodic increases and drops in at least some output measures will occur. There are no right or wrong scores for output measures. One performance measure alone cannot tell a complete story. Output measure scores should be interpreted in context with each other and with the library's overall service program and budget, as well as taking into account external factors such as the national and local economy.

Changing a library's output measure scores are usually not done overnight. Changes usually require work over an extended period of time.

Population figures used in computing the output measures in this section were based on the latest census data available (i.e., the 2000 national census.) Population estimates were not used in this section of the 2007 Statistical summary.



## OUTPUT MEASURE: FY07 CIRCULATION PER CAPITA

**Circulation Per Capita** represents the annual circulation of all types of library materials outside the library, relating the number of items a library circulates to the population of the community served. It can be thought of as representing the average number of items checked out in a year by a member of the community. It is one measure of the community's use of the library.

A high score on this measure indicates heavy use of the library's circulating materials. A low score may indicate that (1) the library's collection does not meet community needs or interests; (2) community residents are unaware of the library's resources; or (3) the library has an extensive collection of non-circulating materials.

### FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THIS MEASURE:

- Circulation or acquisitions policies, loan period, fines
- Public programs related to the collection (Summer Reading Program, book groups, author talks, etc.)
- Community awareness of library services
- Library open hours and number of library users
- Age, condition and breadth of the library's collection
- Physical arrangement and convenience of the library facility

### CIRCULATION COMPARISONS:

|       | Median | SC<br>Average | National<br>Average |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------------------|
| FY 03 | 3.08   | 3.46          | 7                   |
| FY 04 | 3.11   | 3.55          | 7.1                 |
| FY 05 | 3.1    | 3.7           | 7.2                 |
| FY 06 | 3      | 3.63          | 7.28                |
| FY 07 | 3.12   | 3.74          | 7.42                |

|              | Numerical | Rank |
|--------------|-----------|------|
| ABBE         | 3.16      | 21   |
| Abbeville    | 2.43      | 30   |
| AHJ          | 1.00      | 42   |
| Anderson     | 3.19      | 20   |
| Beaufort     | 5.42      | 7    |
| Berkeley     | 2.36      | 32   |
| Calhoun      | 2.19      | 35   |
| Chapin       | 7.66      | 4    |
| Charleston   | 10.11     | 1    |
| Cherokee     | 2.90      | 24   |
| Chester      | 2.76      | 27   |
| Chesterfield | 2.39      | 31   |
| Clarendon    | 1.54      | 40   |
| Colleton     | 2.60      | 28   |
| Darlington   | 4.41      | 14   |
| Dillon       | 5.72      | 6    |
| Dorchester   | 4.84      | 11   |
| Fairfield    | 3.05      | 23   |
| Florence     | 3.51      | 16   |
| Georgetown   | 2.78      | 26   |
| Greenville   | 7.88      | 3    |
| Greenwood    | 3.59      | 15   |
| Horry        | 4.57      | 12   |
| Kershaw      | 3.47      | 18   |
| Lancaster    | 3.50      | 17   |
| Laurens      | 2.48      | 29   |
| Lee          | 1.56      | 39   |
| Lexington    | 7.65      | 5    |
| Marion       | 2.30      | 33   |
| Marlboro     | 1.32      | 41   |
| McCormick    | 3.20      | 19   |
| Newberry     | 2.23      | 34   |
| Oconee       | 4.45      | 13   |
| Orangeburg   | 3.08      | 22   |
| Pickens      | 5.11      | 9    |
| Richland     | 8.61      | 2    |
| Saluda       | 1.59      | 38   |
| Spartanburg  | 5.28      | 8    |
| Sumter       | 1.85      | 36   |
| Union        | 2.86      | 25   |
| Williamsburg | 1.63      | 37   |
| York         | 4.85      | 10   |

## OUTPUT MEASURE: FY07 LIBRARY VISITS

**Library Visits Per Capita** relates the number of people visiting the library to the population of the community served. It can be thought of as representing the average number of times a member of the community visits the library. It is often closely related to circulation, in-library use of material, and program attendance.

### FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THIS MEASURE:

- Library hours of service
- Community awareness of library service
- Availability of library parking
- Special library programming
- Library acquisition and collection development policies
- Convenience of location of library facilities

### LIBRARY VISITS COMPARISON:

|       | Median | SC<br>Average | National<br>Average |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------------------|
| FY 03 | 2.33   | 2.68          | 4.6                 |
| FY 04 | 2.31   | 2.7           | 4.7                 |
| FY 05 | N/A    | N/A           | 4.7                 |
| FY 06 | 2.43   | 2.84          | 4.8                 |
| FY 07 | 2.47   | 2.95          | 4.91                |

|              | Numerical | Rank |
|--------------|-----------|------|
| ABBE         | 2.11      | 31   |
| Abbeville    | 1.40      | 39   |
| AHJ          | 1.17      | 41   |
| Anderson     | 2.11      | 30   |
| Beaufort     | 3.61      | 13   |
| Berkeley     | 2.14      | 28   |
| Calhoun      | 2.41      | 22   |
| Chapin       | 4.76      | 6    |
| Charleston   | 5.96      | 1    |
| Cherokee     | 2.12      | 29   |
| Chester      | 2.01      | 33   |
| Chesterfield | 1.96      | 34   |
| Clarendon    | 1.09      | 42   |
| Colleton     | 2.24      | 25   |
| Darlington   | 4.64      | 7    |
| Dillon       | 3.61      | 12   |
| Dorchester   | 2.53      | 21   |
| Fairfield    | 2.23      | 26   |
| Florence     | 3.46      | 14   |
| Georgetown   | 4.96      | 5    |
| Greenville   | 4.31      | 8    |
| Greenwood    | 3.75      | 11   |
| Horry        | 3.14      | 16   |
| Kershaw      | 3.13      | 17   |
| Lancaster    | 2.88      | 20   |
| Laurens      | 1.86      | 36   |
| Lee          | 2.30      | 24   |
| Lexington    | 5.16      | 4    |
| Marion       | 1.87      | 35   |
| Marlboro     | 1.62      | 37   |
| McCormick    | 2.39      | 23   |
| Newberry     | 2.18      | 27   |
| Oconee       | 3.36      | 15   |
| Orangeburg   | 1.61      | 38   |
| Pickens      | 3.76      | 10   |
| Richland     | 5.44      | 2    |
| Saluda       | 1.23      | 40   |
| Spartanburg  | 5.22      | 3    |
| Sumter       | 2.04      | 32   |
| Union        | 4.02      | 9    |
| Williamsburg | 3.11      | 18   |
| York         | 2.99      | 19   |

## OUTPUT MEASURE: FY07 PROGRAM ATTENDANCE

**Program Attendance Per Capita** relates the annual number of people attending programs to the population of the community served. It is calculated by dividing the total number of people in the audience at all library programs held during the year, by the population of the service area. This element measures use of library services not reflected by other measures. Some libraries rely heavily on programming to attract specific user groups.

**Note:** Adult, teen and children's programming were totaled for this table.

### FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THIS MEASURE:

- Number and type of programs offered
- Promotional efforts and outreach related Library open hours and number of library users
- Age, condition and breadth of the library's collection
- Physical arrangement and convenience of the library facility
- Community awareness of library service in general
- Involvement of community partners in program planning
- Physical arrangement and convenience of library facilities

### PROGRAM ATTENDANCE COMPARISONS:

|       |        | SC      |
|-------|--------|---------|
|       | Median | Average |
| FY 03 | 0.12   | 0.15    |
| FY 04 | 0.12   | 0.15    |
| FY 05 | 0.14   | 0.17    |
| FY 06 | 0.12   | 0.16    |
| FY 07 | 0.14   | 0.16    |

|              | Numerical |
|--------------|-----------|
| ABBE         | 0.14      |
| Abbeville    | 0.07      |
| AHJ          | 0.10      |
| Anderson     | 0.05      |
| Beaufort     | 0.14      |
| Berkeley     | 0.04      |
| Calhoun      | 0.09      |
| Chapin       | 0.37      |
| Charleston   | 0.35      |
| Cherokee     | 0.15      |
| Chester      | 0.21      |
| Chesterfield | 0.36      |
| Clarendon    | 0.03      |
| Colleton     | 0.31      |
| Darlington   | 0.21      |
| Dillon       | 0.11      |
| Dorchester   | 0.06      |
| Fairfield    | 0.19      |
| Florence     | 0.20      |
| Georgetown   | 0.40      |
| Greenville   | 0.14      |
| Greenwood    | 0.09      |
| Horry        | 0.13      |
| Kershaw      | 0.06      |
| Lancaster    | 0.23      |
| Laurens      | 0.11      |
| Lee          | 0.36      |
| Lexington    | 0.26      |
| Marion       | 0.22      |
| Marlboro     | 0.07      |
| McCormick    | 0.17      |
| Newberry     | 0.21      |
| Oconee       | 0.06      |
| Orangeburg   | 0.03      |
| Pickens      | 0.13      |
| Richland     | 0.15      |
| Saluda       | 0.04      |
| Spartanburg  | 0.25      |
| Sumter       | 0.11      |
| Union        | 0.20      |
| Williamsburg | 0.04      |
| York         | 0.25      |

## OUTPUT MEASURE: FY07 REFERENCE TRANSACTIONS

**Reference Transactions Per Capita** relates the number of information contacts (i.e., a transaction between a library user and a staff member using information sources) to the population of the community served. This measure indicates the average number of these transactions. The measure relates strongly to the goals each library has set for meeting the service needs of its community. A low **Reference Transactions Per Capita** with a high **Circulation Per Capita** may indicate a library used mostly for borrowing materials. A low **Reference Transactions Per Capita** with a low **Circulation Per Capita** may mean a low level of overall library use by the community. A high **Reference Transactions Per Capita** and a low **Library Visits Per Capita** may mean that a large proportion of library users are seeking staff assistance.

### FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THIS MEASURE:

- Community awareness of library services
- Physical arrangement and convenience of library facilities
- Training and scheduling of library staff
- Age, condition and breadth of the library's collection
- Library hours of service
- Library acquisition and collection development policies

### REFERENCE TRANSACTIONS COMPARISONS:

|       | Median | SC<br>Average | National<br>Average |
|-------|--------|---------------|---------------------|
| FY 03 | 0.34   | 0.63          | 1.1                 |
| FY 04 | 0.36   | 0.68          | 1.1                 |
| FY 05 | 0.37   | 0.74          | 1.1                 |
| FY 06 | 0.33   | 0.59          | 1.02                |
| FY 07 | 0.35   | 0.58          | 1                   |

|              | Numerical | Rank |
|--------------|-----------|------|
| ABBE         | 0.13      | 35   |
| Abbeville    | 0.43      | 16   |
| AHJ          | 0.24      | 27   |
| Anderson     | 0.18      | 32   |
| Beaufort     | 0.36      | 19   |
| Berkeley     | 0.21      | 29   |
| Calhoun      | 0.36      | 20   |
| Chapin       | 0.77      | 6    |
| Charleston   | 5.40      | 1    |
| Cherokee     | 0.05      | 41   |
| Chester      | 0.73      | 8    |
| Chesterfield | 0.83      | 5    |
| Clarendon    | 0.09      | 39   |
| Colleton     | 0.13      | 37   |
| Darlington   | 0.31      | 24   |
| Dillon       | 0.41      | 18   |
| Dorchester   | 0.61      | 12   |
| Fairfield    | 0.18      | 31   |
| Florence     | 0.43      | 17   |
| Georgetown   | 0.58      | 13   |
| Greenville   | 0.73      | 10   |
| Greenwood    | 0.17      | 34   |
| Horry        | 0.18      | 33   |
| Kershaw      | 0.02      | 42   |
| Lancaster    | 0.35      | 21   |
| Laurens      | 0.24      | 28   |
| Lee          | 0.47      | 14   |
| Lexington    | 2.08      | 3    |
| Marion       | 0.10      | 38   |
| Marlboro     | 0.20      | 30   |
| McCormick    | 0.28      | 25   |
| Newberry     | 0.34      | 22   |
| Oconee       | 0.13      | 36   |
| Orangeburg   | 0.32      | 23   |
| Pickens      | 0.46      | 15   |
| Richland     | 2.67      | 2    |
| Saluda       | 0.75      | 7    |
| Spartanburg  | 0.73      | 9    |
| Sumter       | 0.64      | 11   |
| Union        | 0.26      | 26   |
| Williamsburg | 0.08      | 40   |
| York         | 0.89      | 4    |

## OUTPUT MEASURE: FY07 REGISTERED BORROWERS

**Registration Per Capita** illustrates the proportion of area residents who are currently registered as library borrowers (i.e., library card holders.) The measure is calculated by dividing the number of registered borrowers by the total population of the library's legal service area. An accurate count of registered borrowers should be maintained by removing inactive borrowers from the registered count; this measure is considered invalid if the library has not purged its borrower file in the last three years. It indicates the percentage of the library's potential users who have demonstrated an intent to borrow materials from the library by registering for a card.

### FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THIS MEASURE:

- Convenience and location of library facilities
- Community awareness of library services
- Library acquisition and collection development policies
- Library hours of service

### % OF POPULATION REGISTERED – COMPARISONS:

|       | SC     |         |
|-------|--------|---------|
|       | Median | Average |
| FY 03 | 0.43   | 0.48    |
| FY 04 | 0.45   | 0.48    |
| FY 05 | 0.45   | 0.5     |
| FY 06 | 0.48   | 0.51    |
| FY 07 | 0.48   | 0.50    |

|              | % of Residents | Rank |
|--------------|----------------|------|
| ABBE         | 29.42%         | 36   |
| Abbeville    | 42.61%         | 28   |
| AHJ          | 26.04%         | 40   |
| Anderson     | 26.78%         | 39   |
| Beaufort     | 72.25%         | 5    |
| Berkeley     | 44.64%         | 25   |
| Calhoun      | 32.27%         | 35   |
| Chapin       | 136.14%        | 1    |
| Charleston   | 94.72%         | 2    |
| Cherokee     | 49.72%         | 19   |
| Chester      | 67.98%         | 6    |
| Chesterfield | 45.32%         | 24   |
| Clarendon    | 47.76%         | 21   |
| Colleton     | 28.68%         | 37   |
| Darlington   | 37.19%         | 33   |
| Dillon       | 52.19%         | 15   |
| Dorchester   | 50.38%         | 18   |
| Fairfield    | 60.88%         | 8    |
| Florence     | 28.36%         | 38   |
| Georgetown   | 87.00%         | 3    |
| Greenville   | 53.79%         | 14   |
| Greenwood    | 75.22%         | 4    |
| Horry        | 57.14%         | 12   |
| Kershaw      | 51.84%         | 16   |
| Lancaster    | 39.95%         | 31   |
| Laurens      | 49.41%         | 20   |
| Lee          | 41.14%         | 29   |
| Lexington    | 43.75%         | 27   |
| Marion       | 58.55%         | 9    |
| Marlboro     | 40.93%         | 30   |
| McCormick    | 15.48%         | 41   |
| Newberry     | 38.20%         | 32   |
| Oconee       | 47.37%         | 22   |
| Orangeburg   | 43.95%         | 26   |
| Pickens      | 57.94%         | 10   |
| Richland     | 62.70%         | 7    |
| Saluda       | 14.40%         | 42   |
| Spartanburg  | 56.53%         | 13   |
| Sumter       | 57.70%         | 11   |
| Union        | 46.80%         | 23   |
| Williamsburg | 32.40%         | 34   |
| York         | 51.28%         | 17   |

## OUTPUT MEASURE: FY07 TURNOVER RATE

**Turnover Rate** measures the circulation activity of a library's collection, indicating the average annual circulations per physical item in the library collection. Total number of items is divided by total circulation count. This measure relates strongly to the goals each library has set for meeting the service needs of its community. A library which emphasizes the circulation of popular reading materials will have a higher **Turnover Rate** than a library which emphasizes subject breadth in its collection and has an extensive reference collection.

### FACTORS THAT INFLUENCE THIS MEASURE:

- Circulation policies – loan period, fines
- Library acquisitions and collection development policies
- Special programs – prizes, reading programs, etc.
- Community awareness of library service
- Library hours of service
- Number of library users
- Age, condition and breadth of the library's collection
- Physical arrangement and convenience of library facilities

### TURNOVER RATE COMPARISONS:

|       | Median | SC<br>Average |
|-------|--------|---------------|
| FY 03 | 1.33   | 1.5           |
| FY 04 | 1.32   | 1.51          |
| FY 05 | 1.3    | 1.46          |
| FY 06 | 1.24   | 1.46          |
| FY 07 | 1.34   | 1.47          |

|              | Average<br>Annual Circs | Rank |
|--------------|-------------------------|------|
| ABBE         | 1.79                    | 12   |
| Abbeville    | 0.92                    | 32   |
| AHJ          | 0.79                    | 40   |
| Anderson     | 1.44                    | 20   |
| Beaufort     | 1.87                    | 10   |
| Berkeley     | 1.54                    | 15   |
| Calhoun      | 0.96                    | 31   |
| Chapin       | 1.91                    | 9    |
| Charleston   | 3.02                    | 2    |
| Cherokee     | 1.17                    | 26   |
| Chester      | 0.88                    | 35   |
| Chesterfield | 1.44                    | 19   |
| Clarendon    | 0.97                    | 30   |
| Colleton     | 0.79                    | 39   |
| Darlington   | 1.26                    | 22   |
| Dillon       | 1.55                    | 14   |
| Dorchester   | 2.68                    | 4    |
| Fairfield    | 0.67                    | 41   |
| Florence     | 1.18                    | 25   |
| Georgetown   | 0.81                    | 38   |
| Greenville   | 2.71                    | 3    |
| Greenwood    | 1.92                    | 8    |
| Horry        | 2.20                    | 6    |
| Kershaw      | 1.52                    | 16   |
| Lancaster    | 1.14                    | 27   |
| Laurens      | 1.23                    | 23   |
| Lee          | 0.87                    | 36   |
| Lexington    | 2.58                    | 5    |
| Marion       | 0.92                    | 33   |
| Marlboro     | 0.57                    | 42   |
| McCormick    | 0.82                    | 37   |
| Newberry     | 1.13                    | 29   |
| Oconee       | 1.48                    | 18   |
| Orangeburg   | 1.62                    | 13   |
| Pickens      | 2.20                    | 7    |
| Richland     | 1.82                    | 11   |
| Saluda       | 1.21                    | 24   |
| Spartanburg  | 1.49                    | 17   |
| Sumter       | 1.13                    | 28   |
| Union        | 1.42                    | 21   |
| Williamsburg | 0.91                    | 34   |
| York         | 3.16                    | 1    |

# FY07 Public Library Revenue and Expenditures

| Library      | Population--Latest<br>Official Estimate<br>07/01/06 |      | Revenue (All Sources) |      | Local Revenue |      | Operating Expenditures |      | Personnel<br>Expenditures |      | Collection Expenditures |      | Expenditure for<br>Electronic (Digital)<br>Materials |      |
|--------------|---|------|-----------------------|------|---------------|------|------------------------|------|---------------------------|------|-------------------------|------|--|------|
|              | Numerical   | Rank | Numerical             | Rank | Numerical     | Rank | Numerical              | Rank | Numerical                 | Rank | Numerical               | Rank | Numerical  | Rank |
| ABBE         | 207,283   | 8    | \$2,743,148           | 13   | \$1,853,632   | 13   | \$2,747,746            | 12   | \$1,824,163               | 11   | \$350,751               | 13   | \$24,091   | 11   |
| Abbeville    | 26,167  | 36   | \$262,844             | 38   | \$201,233     | 39   | \$291,411              | 38   | \$155,299                 | 40   | \$53,928                | 36   | \$1,781  | 29   |
| AHJ          | 58,325  | 23   | \$976,113             | 24   | \$326,496     | 31   | \$688,771              | 29   | \$416,031                 | 29   | \$66,484                | 35   | \$0  | 30   |
| Anderson     | 185,000   | 9    | \$4,130,247           | 7    | \$3,513,600   | 8    | \$4,803,989            | 6    | \$3,044,447               | 6    | \$605,665               | 8    | \$84,859   | 5    |
| Beaufort     | 137,849   | 11   | \$3,950,233           | 8    | \$3,591,446   | 7    | \$3,914,915            | 8    | \$2,637,402               | 8    | \$520,154               | 9    | \$26,868   | 10   |
| Berkeley     | 152,282   | 10   | \$2,854,023           | 12   | \$2,516,794   | 12   | \$2,593,777            | 13   | \$1,794,988               | 12   | \$447,639               | 10   | \$46,459   | 7    |
| Calhoun      | 15,026  | 41   | \$260,928             | 39   | \$209,728     | 38   | \$258,648              | 39   | \$178,514                 | 38   | \$39,511                | 41   | \$0  | 30   |
| Chapin       | 23,214  | 38   | \$1,252,744           | 19   | \$1,105,069   | 19   | \$1,072,539            | 21   | \$711,724                 | 20   | \$201,980               | 20   | \$6,980  | 21   |
| Charleston   | 331,917   | 3    | \$14,778,014          | 2    | \$13,277,590  | 2    | \$14,160,063           | 2    | \$9,388,248               | 2    | \$2,142,832             | 2    | \$171,013  | 3    |
| Cherokee     | 53,555  | 25   | \$884,121             | 26   | \$728,404     | 22   | \$842,003              | 25   | \$511,059                 | 26   | \$136,862               | 25   | \$15,331   | 16   |
| Chester      | 34,068  | 31   | \$824,075             | 29   | \$656,979     | 25   | \$880,315              | 24   | \$526,694                 | 23   | \$128,683               | 26   | \$4,780  | 25   |
| Chesterfield | 43,500  | 26   | \$410,622             | 33   | \$306,686     | 33   | \$407,301              | 34   | \$280,946                 | 30   | \$75,393                | 33   | \$12,452   | 18   |
| Clarendon    | 33,363  | 32   | \$527,325             | 31   | \$395,684     | 29   | \$499,240              | 31   | \$263,094                 | 32   | \$79,013                | 31   | \$13,226   | 17   |
| Colleton     | 39,832  | 27   | \$834,642             | 28   | \$571,811     | 28   | \$830,670              | 26   | \$449,800                 | 28   | \$139,894               | 24   | \$2,125  | 28   |
| Darlington   | 67,394  | 20   | \$1,228,476           | 20   | \$1,033,346   | 20   | \$1,149,722            | 20   | \$730,712                 | 19   | \$147,969               | 23   | \$2,173  | 27   |
| Dillon       | 31,027  | 33   | \$432,403             | 32   | \$322,277     | 32   | \$432,403              | 33   | \$253,777                 | 33   | \$115,226               | 28   | \$5,000  | 23   |
| Dorchester   | 118,979   | 13   | \$2,093,477           | 14   | \$1,774,559   | 14   | \$2,058,630            | 14   | \$1,383,319               | 14   | \$318,981               | 14   | \$15,781   | 15   |
| Fairfield    | 23,810  | 37   | \$593,738             | 30   | \$389,540     | 30   | \$515,166              | 30   | \$280,388                 | 31   | \$96,658                | 29   | \$11,539   | 19   |
| Florence     | 131,097   | 12   | \$3,261,740           | 10   | \$2,934,491   | 10   | \$3,425,505            | 10   | \$1,765,462               | 13   | \$369,344               | 12   | \$21,360   | 12   |
| Georgetown   | 60,983  | 22   | \$1,679,112           | 15   | \$1,200,430   | 17   | \$1,411,250            | 18   | \$913,854                 | 17   | \$179,317               | 21   | \$0  | 30   |
| Greenville   | 417,166   | 1    | \$11,717,126          | 3    | \$9,883,417   | 3    | \$11,334,028           | 3    | \$7,478,419               | 3    | \$1,860,698             | 3    | \$332,240  | 2    |
| Greenwood    | 68,213  | 19   | \$1,480,804           | 18   | \$1,293,366   | 15   | \$1,745,111            | 15   | \$1,041,201               | 15   | \$236,306               | 15   | \$0  | 30   |
| Horry        | 210,757   | 6    | \$3,619,476           | 9    | \$3,136,255   | 9    | \$3,594,799            | 9    | \$2,362,359               | 9    | \$637,623               | 6    | \$44,286   | 8    |
| Kershaw      | 57,490  | 24   | \$903,959             | 25   | \$650,236     | 26   | \$800,475              | 28   | \$517,237                 | 24   | \$149,061               | 22   | \$28,519   | 9    |
| Lancaster    | 63,135  | 21   | \$1,000,411           | 22   | \$663,822     | 24   | \$909,377              | 23   | \$565,490                 | 22   | \$121,354               | 27   | \$0  | 30   |
| Laurens      | 70,374  | 18   | \$999,174             | 23   | \$685,035     | 23   | \$977,115              | 22   | \$514,559                 | 25   | \$207,389               | 18   | \$0  | 30   |
| Lee          | 20,119  | 39   | \$221,688             | 40   | \$160,103     | 40   | \$234,391              | 40   | \$160,898                 | 39   | \$26,023                | 42   | \$0  | 30   |
| Lexington    | 240,160   | 5    | \$5,880,976           | 5    | \$5,128,690   | 5    | \$5,266,238            | 5    | \$3,596,014               | 5    | \$932,780               | 5    | \$20,884   | 13   |
| Marion       | 34,904  | 30   | \$857,299             | 27   | \$649,887     | 27   | \$808,024              | 27   | \$486,757                 | 27   | \$82,460                | 30   | \$4,861  | 24   |
| Marlboro     | 29,152  | 34   | \$340,645             | 36   | \$249,656     | 36   | \$340,767              | 37   | \$219,950                 | 36   | \$50,331                | 38   | \$0  | 30   |
| McCormick    | 10,226  | 42   | \$143,248             | 42   | \$84,168      | 42   | \$149,574              | 42   | \$92,821                  | 42   | \$41,654                | 40   | \$0  | 30   |
| Newberry     | 37,300  | 28   | \$359,882             | 35   | \$282,570     | 34   | \$352,119              | 35   | \$230,174                 | 35   | \$78,725                | 32   | \$0  | 30   |
| Oconee       | 70,567  | 17   | \$1,602,851           | 16   | \$1,269,774   | 16   | \$1,494,237            | 16   | \$1,036,142               | 16   | \$225,798               | 16   | \$0  | 30   |
| Orangeburg   | 92,070  | 16   | \$1,164,035           | 21   | \$960,535     | 21   | \$1,227,416            | 19   | \$710,150                 | 21   | \$204,467               | 19   | \$19,097   | 14   |
| Pickens      | 113,575   | 14   | \$2,904,213           | 11   | \$2,543,890   | 11   | \$2,838,172            | 11   | \$1,879,756               | 10   | \$433,033               | 11   | \$8,275  | 20   |
| Richland     | 348,226   | 2    | \$18,246,466          | 1    | \$16,331,228  | 1    | \$16,705,952           | 1    | \$10,598,562              | 1    | \$3,285,038             | 1    | \$551,739  | 1    |
| Saluda       | 19,059  | 40   | \$157,604             | 41   | \$107,604     | 41   | \$157,604              | 41   | \$101,879                 | 41   | \$42,228                | 39   | \$0  | 30   |
| Spartanburg  | 271,087   | 4    | \$8,258,747           | 4    | \$7,300,841   | 4    | \$7,647,612            | 4    | \$5,356,807               | 4    | \$1,137,366             | 4    | \$97,248   | 4    |
| Sumter       | 105,517   | 15   | \$1,540,089           | 17   | \$1,114,636   | 18   | \$1,463,417            | 17   | \$870,029                 | 18   | \$211,962               | 17   | \$3,445  | 26   |
| Union        | 28,306  | 35   | \$322,422             | 37   | \$242,445     | 37   | \$457,399              | 32   | \$247,846                 | 34   | \$70,944                | 34   | \$6,945  | 22   |
| Williamsburg | 36,105  | 29   | \$366,315             | 34   | \$270,000     | 35   | \$346,469              | 36   | \$206,567                 | 37   | \$53,866                | 37   | \$0  | 30   |
| York         | 208,000   | 7    | \$4,312,372           | 6    | \$3,756,025   | 6    | \$4,252,449            | 7    | \$2,740,657               | 7    | \$635,770               | 7    | \$68,000   | 6    |
| Total        | 4,326,179   |      | \$110,377,827         |      | \$93,673,978  |      | \$106,086,809          |      | \$68,524,193              |      | \$16,941,160            |      | \$1,651,357  |      |
| Median       | 62,059  |      | \$1,082,223           |      | \$844,470     |      | \$1,024,827            |      | \$637,820                 |      | \$164,189               |      | \$6,963  |      |
| Average      | 103,004   |      | \$2,628,044           |      | \$2,230,333   |      | \$2,525,876            |      | \$1,631,528               |      | \$403,361               |      | \$39,318   |      |



**FY07 Public Library Staff and Service Hours**

| Library FY 07 Data | FTE Staff       |      | ALA/MLS FTE Total |      | Part Time Staff |      | Total Staff Full Time |      | Total Annual Public Services Hours |      | Total Annual Weekend & Evening Public Services Hours |      |
|--------------------|-----------------|------|-------------------|------|-----------------|------|-----------------------|------|------------------------------------|------|--|------|
|                    | Numerical       | Rank | Numerical         | Rank | Numerical       | Rank | Numerical             | Rank | Numerical                          | Rank | Numerical  | Rank |
| ABBE               | 56.87           | 10   | 11.00             | 12   | 31              | 8    | 41                    | 11   | 21,608                             | 8    | 5,703  | 9    |
| Abbeville          | 1.00            | 42   | 1.00              | 29   | 5               | 29   | 3                     | 39   | 6,162                              | 25   | 1,040  | 29   |
| AHJ                | 11.78           | 28   | 0.88              | 39   | 12              | 16   | 9                     | 29   | 9,054                              | 17   | 750  | 35   |
| Anderson           | 77.88           | 7    | 15.24             | 8    | 37              | 7    | 64                    | 6    | 24,764                             | 5    | 7,421  | 6    |
| Beaufort           | 77.95           | 6    | 25.00             | 5    | 31              | 8    | 59                    | 7    | 4,303                              | 32   | 11,746   | 4    |
| Berkeley           | 50.50           | 12   | 10.00             | 13   | 3               | 33   | 49                    | 10   | 14,896                             | 10   | 2,964  | 15   |
| Calhoun            | 6.03            | 37   | 1.00              | 29   | 5               | 29   | 4                     | 37   | 2,470                              | 40   | 416  | 40   |
| Chapin             | 12.00           | 27   | 3.00              | 24   | 0               | 40   | 12                    | 23   | 3,676                              | 34   | 664  | 37   |
| Charleston         | 254.00          | 1    | 70.00             | 1    | 55              | 4    | 187                   | 1    | 37,222                             | 2    | 12,891   | 2    |
| Cherokee           | 13.71           | 24   | 0.88              | 39   | 7               | 23   | 11                    | 27   | 5,954                              | 27   | 1,170  | 27   |
| Chester            | 7.38            | 35   | 2.38              | 26   | 9               | 18   | 11                    | 27   | 5,512                              | 28   | 1,248  | 26   |
| Chesterfield       | 12.98           | 26   | 0.94              | 33   | 3               | 33   | 12                    | 23   | 8,786                              | 18   | 1,331  | 24   |
| Clarendon          | 9.02            | 30   | 0.94              | 33   | 3               | 33   | 8                     | 32   | 3,444                              | 36   | 732  | 36   |
| Colleton           | 11.70           | 29   | 3.00              | 24   | 6               | 24   | 9                     | 29   | 4,772                              | 30   | 1,092  | 28   |
| Darlington         | 24.89           | 16   | 5.41              | 17   | 23              | 10   | 13                    | 20   | 10,582                             | 14   | 3,432  | 13   |
| Dillon             | 8.82            | 33   | 0.94              | 33   | 1               | 38   | 9                     | 29   | 8,190                              | 20   | 1,690  | 21   |
| Dorchester         | 38.00           | 14   | 7.00              | 15   | 15              | 14   | 23                    | 15   | 6,448                              | 23   | 1,976  | 19   |
| Fairfield          | 7.25            | 36   | 1.80              | 28   | 4               | 31   | 6                     | 33   | 4,200                              | 33   | 832  | 32   |
| Florence           | 67.00           | 8    | 16.00             | 7    | 17              | 13   | 51                    | 8    | 14,455                             | 11   | 3,587  | 12   |
| Georgetown         | 23.97           | 18   | 1.88              | 27   | 13              | 15   | 20                    | 17   | 11,064                             | 13   | 3,080  | 14   |
| Greenville         | 165.03          | 4    | 45.38             | 3    | 69              | 3    | 144                   | 3    | 37,808                             | 1    | 14,334   | 1    |
| Greenwood          | 24.60           | 17   | 7.50              | 14   | 6               | 24   | 23                    | 15   | 9,932                              | 16   | 1,905  | 20   |
| Horry              | 53.00           | 11   | 14.00             | 9    | 6               | 24   | 50                    | 9    | 23,504                             | 7    | 7,020  | 7    |
| Kershaw            | 15.49           | 23   | 4.13              | 19   | 9               | 18   | 13                    | 20   | 6,604                              | 22   | 2,392  | 18   |
| Lancaster          | 15.75           | 22   | 4.00              | 20   | 8               | 20   | 12                    | 23   | 6,170                              | 24   | 1,300  | 25   |
| Laurens            | 16.65           | 21   | 4.00              | 20   | 8               | 20   | 13                    | 20   | 6,823                              | 21   | 1,430  | 22   |
| Lee                | 3.75            | 40   | 0.00              | 42   | 1               | 38   | 4                     | 37   | 2,860                              | 38   | 780  | 34   |
| Lexington          | 96.25           | 5    | 25.00             | 5    | 53              | 5    | 71                    | 5    | 23,556                             | 6    | 6,656  | 8    |
| Marion             | 13.19           | 25   | 3.75              | 22   | 4               | 31   | 12                    | 23   | 6,084                              | 26   | 1,378  | 23   |
| Marlboro           | 5.63            | 38   | 0.94              | 33   | 0               | 40   | 6                     | 33   | 3,588                              | 35   | 364  | 41   |
| McCormick          | 2.75            | 41   | 0.25              | 41   | 3               | 33   | 2                     | 41   | 2,288                              | 41   | 936  | 30   |
| Newberry           | 9.00            | 31   | 1.00              | 29   | 6               | 24   | 6                     | 33   | 4,888                              | 29   | 468  | 39   |
| Oconee             | 20.68           | 19   | 3.75              | 22   | 10              | 17   | 16                    | 18   | 10,275                             | 15   | 2,575  | 17   |
| Orangeburg         | 19.64           | 20   | 5.63              | 16   | 8               | 20   | 16                    | 18   | 3,310                              | 37   | 821  | 33   |
| Pickens            | 45.71           | 13   | 11.40             | 11   | 18              | 12   | 39                    | 12   | 11,908                             | 12   | 4,108  | 11   |
| Richland           | 235.28          | 2    | 68.37             | 2    | 168             | 1    | 181                   | 2    | 32,862                             | 4    | 12,116   | 3    |
| Saluda             | 3.76            | 39   | 0.94              | 33   | 0               | 40   | 3                     | 39   | 2,080                              | 42   | 312  | 42   |
| Spartanburg        | 172.50          | 3    | 32.00             | 4    | 100             | 2    | 76                    | 4    | 33,501                             | 3    | 10,660   | 5    |
| Sumter             | 36.65           | 15   | 4.75              | 18   | 22              | 11   | 27                    | 14   | 8,736                              | 19   | 2,756  | 16   |
| Union              | 9.00            | 31   | 1.00              | 29   | 2               | 37   | 2                     | 41   | 2,852                              | 39   | 656  | 38   |
| Williamsburg       | 8.45            | 34   | 0.94              | 33   | 6               | 24   | 6                     | 33   | 4,380                              | 31   | 930  | 31   |
| York               | 57.78           | 9    | 13.75             | 10   | 46              | 6    | 32                    | 13   | 15,039                             | 9    | 5,238  | 10   |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>1,803.27</b> |      | <b>430.77</b>     |      | <b>833</b>      |      | <b>1,355</b>          |      | <b>466,609</b>                     |      | <b>142,900</b>                                       |      |
| <b>Median</b>      | <b>16.20</b>    |      | <b>3.88</b>       |      | <b>8</b>        |      | <b>13</b>             |      | <b>6,714</b>                       |      | <b>1,560</b>   |      |
| <b>Average</b>     | <b>42.94</b>    |      | <b>10.26</b>      |      | <b>20</b>       |      | <b>32</b>             |      | <b>11,110</b>                      |      | <b>3,402</b>   |      |

**FY07 Public Library Collections**

| Library      | Books/Serials/Volumes Held |      | Books/Serials/Volumes Added in FY07 |      | Print Volumes Weeded in FY07 |      | Total Audios Held |      | Total Videos Held |      | Current Print Newspaper and Periodical Subscriptions |      |
|--------------|----------------------------|------|-------------------------------------|------|------------------------------|------|-------------------|------|-------------------|------|--|------|
|              | Numerical                  | Rank | Numerical                           | Rank | Numerical                    | Rank | Numerical         | Rank | Numerical         | Rank | Numerical  | Rank |
| ABBE         | 242,004                    | 11   | 21,146                              | 11   | 11,686                       | 15   | 11,840            | 10   | 17,642            | 7    | 375  | 14   |
| Abbeville    | 49,448                     | 36   | 5,810                               | 28   | 3,509                        | 27   | 2,061             | 31   | 2,108             | 28   | 84   | 39   |
| AHJ          | 64,491                     | 32   | 5,367                               | 30   | 9,383                        | 18   | 2,274             | 29   | 879               | 37   | 401  | 12   |
| Anderson     | 336,426                    | 6    | 22,152                              | 10   | 12,195                       | 12   | 12,959            | 8    | 11,635            | 10   | 1,079  | 6    |
| Beaufort     | 243,747                    | 10   | 34,109                              | 6    | 25,559                       | 6    | 10,732            | 11   | 17,824            | 6    | 776  | 8    |
| Berkeley     | 216,019                    | 12   | 33,453                              | 7    | 13,262                       | 11   | 4,335             | 20   | 6,013             | 16   | 423  | 11   |
| Calhoun      | 25,696                     | 41   | 1,736                               | 41   | 2,526                        | 35   | 1,289             | 38   | 1,061             | 35   | 125  | 33   |
| Chapin       | 77,089                     | 30   | 4,605                               | 35   | 1,510                        | 39   | 4,790             | 17   | 3,287             | 24   | 82   | 40   |
| Charleston   | 1,112,479                  | 2    | 83,064                              | 2    | 88,297                       | 3    | 42,978            | 3    | 96,125            | 1    | 2,361  | 3    |
| Cherokee     | 119,317                    | 22   | 8,296                               | 26   | 5,712                        | 23   | 2,778             | 25   | 2,250             | 27   | 128  | 31   |
| Chester      | 101,150                    | 27   | 5,050                               | 32   | 1,302                        | 40   | 4,650             | 18   | 1,189             | 34   | 92   | 37   |
| Chesterfield | 70,296                     | 31   | 5,255                               | 31   | 1,844                        | 37   | 1,087             | 40   | 774               | 39   | 201  | 24   |
| Clarendon    | 44,370                     | 38   | 4,403                               | 36   | 2,101                        | 36   | 2,688             | 27   | 1,360             | 32   | 102  | 34   |
| Colleton     | 103,191                    | 26   | 9,581                               | 21   | 11,238                       | 17   | 2,181             | 30   | 1,255             | 33   | 177  | 28   |
| Darlington   | 162,892                    | 15   | 12,873                              | 17   | 11,984                       | 13   | 3,311             | 23   | 8,832             | 15   | 348  | 18   |
| Dillon       | 104,160                    | 25   | 10,714                              | 19   | 6,415                        | 22   | 1,556             | 35   | 979               | 36   | 295  | 20   |
| Dorchester   | 139,061                    | 20   | 16,101                              | 14   | 14,103                       | 10   | 5,668             | 15   | 9,698             | 12   | 229  | 22   |
| Fairfield    | 80,239                     | 29   | 3,957                               | 38   | 2,752                        | 32   | 2,576             | 28   | 5,838             | 17   | 173  | 29   |
| Florence     | 306,755                    | 7    | 12,542                              | 18   | 3,500                        | 28   | 12,225            | 9    | 9,563             | 13   | 465  | 10   |
| Georgetown   | 141,906                    | 19   | 8,500                               | 25   | 7,511                        | 20   | 6,953             | 14   | 10,893            | 11   | 201  | 24   |
| Greenville   | 785,049                    | 3    | 65,819                              | 3    | 72,174                       | 4    | 66,886            | 1    | 86,894            | 2    | 1,690  | 4    |
| Greenwood    | 106,809                    | 24   | 8,543                               | 24   | 5,098                        | 25   | 4,525             | 19   | 3,902             | 22   | 370  | 16   |
| Horry        | 290,400                    | 8    | 27,288                              | 8    | 24,935                       | 7    | 27,100            | 5    | 11,909            | 8    | 994  | 7    |
| Kershaw      | 112,587                    | 23   | 9,159                               | 22   | 2,544                        | 34   | 3,134             | 24   | 3,934             | 21   | 197  | 27   |
| Lancaster    | 151,961                    | 16   | 14,800                              | 15   | 11,705                       | 14   | 3,812             | 22   | 4,286             | 19   | 198  | 26   |
| Laurens      | 123,761                    | 21   | 10,045                              | 20   | 8,555                        | 19   | 7,362             | 13   | 3,374             | 23   | 297  | 19   |
| Lee          | 29,404                     | 40   | 2,801                               | 39   | 2,868                        | 31   | 379               | 42   | 756               | 40   | 162  | 30   |
| Lexington    | 550,940                    | 5    | 53,781                              | 4    | 19,870                       | 9    | 13,356            | 7    | 30,716            | 4    | 2,754  | 1    |
| Marion       | 83,960                     | 28   | 4,378                               | 37   | 2,666                        | 33   | 1,774             | 34   | 846               | 38   | 206  | 23   |
| Marlboro     | 57,822                     | 33   | 5,468                               | 29   | 1,198                        | 41   | 1,452             | 36   | 1,873             | 29   | 101  | 35   |
| McCormick    | 31,527                     | 39   | 2,510                               | 40   | 3,188                        | 30   | 1,401             | 37   | 570               | 42   | 71   | 41   |
| Newberry     | 57,148                     | 34   | 4,778                               | 34   | 1,738                        | 38   | 2,038             | 32   | 2,873             | 25   | 89   | 38   |
| Oconee       | 188,881                    | 13   | 18,194                              | 13   | 22,075                       | 8    | 5,243             | 16   | 4,056             | 20   | 371  | 15   |
| Orangeburg   | 151,761                    | 17   | 14,330                              | 16   | 6,649                        | 21   | 2,769             | 26   | 4,484             | 18   | 250  | 21   |
| Pickens      | 173,316                    | 14   | 21,146                              | 11   | 3,897                        | 26   | 4,129             | 21   | 11,723            | 9    | 382  | 13   |
| Richland     | 1,236,946                  | 1    | 103,340                             | 1    | 95,249                       | 1    | 49,473            | 2    | 41,778            | 3    | 2,740  | 2    |
| Saluda       | 18,541                     | 42   | 1,486                               | 42   | 556                          | 42   | 644               | 41   | 585               | 41   | 41   | 42   |
| Spartanburg  | 756,153                    | 4    | 49,143                              | 5    | 90,396                       | 2    | 40,214            | 4    | 20,410            | 5    | 1,433  | 5    |
| Sumter       | 146,766                    | 18   | 7,108                               | 27   | 11,347                       | 16   | 19,281            | 6    | 2,664             | 26   | 363  | 17   |
| Union        | 46,396                     | 37   | 8,878                               | 23   | 5,124                        | 24   | 1,786             | 33   | 1,455             | 30   | 128  | 31   |
| Williamsburg | 55,695                     | 35   | 4,779                               | 33   | 3,327                        | 29   | 1,255             | 39   | 1,414             | 31   | 94   | 36   |
| York         | 279,233                    | 9    | 24,303                              | 9    | 36,874                       | 5    | 9,866             | 12   | 8,848             | 14   | 489  | 9    |
| Total        | 9,175,792                  |      | 770,791                             |      | 668,422                      |      | 406,810           |      | 458,555           |      | 21,537   |      |
| Median       | 121,539                    |      | 9,370                               |      | 6,532                        |      | 3,971             |      | 3,918             |      | 240  |      |
| Average      | 218,471                    |      | 18,352                              |      | 15,915                       |      | 9,686             |      | 10,918            |      | 513  |      |

**FY07 Public Library Databases, Internet Computers, and Internet Usage**

| Library      | Current Electronic Serial Subscriptions |      | Databases (not including DISCUS) |      | Staff Internet Computers |      | Public Internet Computers |      | Total Internet Computers |      | Number of Users of Electronic Resources |      |
|--------------|---|------|----------------------------------|------|--------------------------|------|---------------------------|------|--------------------------|------|---|------|
|              | Numerical                               | Rank | Numerical                        | Rank | Numerical                | Rank | Numerical                 | Rank | Numerical                | Rank | Numerical                               | Rank |
| ABBE         | N/A                                     |      | 7                                | 12   | 60                       | 12   | 170                       | 5    | 230                      | 9    | 130,763                                 | 8    |
| Abbeville    | N/A                                     |      | 2                                | 22   | 6                        | 36   | 22                        | 31   | 28                       | 34   | 15,316                                  | 31   |
| AHJ          | N/A                                     |      | 0                                | 36   | 14                       | 28   | 36                        | 23   | 50                       | 26   | 33,493                                  | 23   |
| Anderson     | N/A                                     |      | 39                               | 5    | 100                      | 7    | 182                       | 4    | 282                      | 5    | 385,903                                 | 5    |
| Beaufort     | N/A                                     |      | 5                                | 16   | 109                      | 5    | 87                        | 10   | 196                      | 10   | 82,312                                  | 11   |
| Berkeley     | N/A                                     |      | 2                                | 22   | 65                       | 10   | 49                        | 17   | 114                      | 12   | 50,628                                  | 17   |
| Calhoun      | 2                                       | 7    | 1                                | 28   | 4                        | 42   | 9                         | 40   | 13                       | 41   | 8,086                                   | 38   |
| Chapin       | N/A                                     |      | 4                                | 18   | 12                       | 31   | 30                        | 26   | 42                       | 28   | 54,020                                  | 15   |
| Charleston   | 93                                      | 3    | 83                               | 2    | 336                      | 1    | 305                       | 1    | 641                      | 1    | 795,505                                 | 3    |
| Cherokee     | 55                                      | 4    | 7                                | 12   | 17                       | 24   | 24                        | 29   | 41                       | 29   | 55,843                                  | 14   |
| Chester      | N/A                                     |      | 5                                | 16   | 5                        | 38   | 25                        | 28   | 30                       | 33   | 1,416                                   | 39   |
| Chesterfield | N/A                                     |      | 0                                | 36   | 16                       | 26   | 37                        | 21   | 53                       | 24   | N/A                                     |      |
| Clarendon    | N/A                                     |      | 1                                | 28   | 5                        | 38   | 12                        | 39   | 17                       | 39   | 14,173                                  | 32   |
| Colleton     | N/A                                     |      | 2                                | 22   | 21                       | 20   | 26                        | 27   | 47                       | 27   | 19,426                                  | 30   |
| Darlington   | 2                                       | 7    | 1                                | 28   | 21                       | 20   | 47                        | 18   | 68                       | 18   | 86,588                                  | 9    |
| Dillon       | 14                                      | 5    | 3                                | 20   | 13                       | 30   | 51                        | 16   | 64                       | 19   | 34,125                                  | 22   |
| Dorchester   | N/A                                     |      | 9                                | 11   | 41                       | 13   | 67                        | 13   | 108                      | 13   | 22,797                                  | 29   |
| Fairfield    | 1                                       | 9    | 7                                | 12   | 10                       | 33   | 13                        | 38   | 23                       | 36   | 31,000                                  | 25   |
| Florence     | N/A                                     |      | 15                               | 9    | 87                       | 8    | 148                       | 8    | 235                      | 8    | 25,692                                  | 28   |
| Georgetown   | N/A                                     |      | 1                                | 28   | 22                       | 19   | 67                        | 13   | 89                       | 16   | 72,376                                  | 12   |
| Greenville   | 130                                     | 2    | 122                              | 1    | 298                      | 2    | 271                       | 2    | 569                      | 2    | 1,425,378                               | 2    |
| Greenwood    | N/A                                     |      | 3                                | 20   | 29                       | 17   | 22                        | 31   | 51                       | 25   | 31,897                                  | 24   |
| Horry        | 251                                     | 1    | 7                                | 12   | 68                       | 9    | 169                       | 6    | 237                      | 7    | N/A                                     |      |
| Kershaw      | N/A                                     |      | 11                               | 10   | 17                       | 24   | 37                        | 21   | 54                       | 21   | 40,275                                  | 18   |
| Lancaster    | N/A                                     |      | 0                                | 36   | 19                       | 23   | 19                        | 35   | 38                       | 30   | 27,594                                  | 27   |
| Laurens      | N/A                                     |      | 0                                | 36   | 20                       | 22   | 34                        | 25   | 54                       | 21   | 52,000                                  | 16   |
| Lee          | N/A                                     |      | 1                                | 28   | 6                        | 36   | 14                        | 36   | 20                       | 38   | 14,097                                  | 33   |
| Lexington    | 3                                       | 6    | 65                               | 3    | 109                      | 5    | 130                       | 9    | 239                      | 6    | 407,777                                 | 4    |
| Marion       | N/A                                     |      | 2                                | 22   | 16                       | 26   | 38                        | 20   | 54                       | 21   | 34,288                                  | 21   |
| Marlboro     | N/A                                     |      | 0                                | 36   | 7                        | 35   | 9                         | 40   | 16                       | 40   | 9,990                                   | 37   |
| McCormick    | N/A                                     |      | 1                                | 28   | 5                        | 38   | 20                        | 33   | 25                       | 35   | 12,000                                  | 36   |
| Newberry     | N/A                                     |      | 18                               | 6    | 12                       | 31   | 24                        | 29   | 36                       | 31   | 58,800                                  | 13   |
| Oconee       | N/A                                     |      | 0                                | 36   | 27                       | 18   | 36                        | 23   | 63                       | 20   | 39,838                                  | 19   |
| Orangeburg   | N/A                                     |      | 2                                | 22   | 33                       | 15   | 40                        | 19   | 73                       | 17   | 39,191                                  | 20   |
| Pickens      | N/A                                     |      | 4                                | 18   | 36                       | 14   | 72                        | 12   | 108                      | 13   | 84,674                                  | 10   |
| Richland     | N/A                                     |      | 50                               | 4    | 147                      | 4    | 163                       | 7    | 310                      | 4    | 1,705,056                               | 1    |
| Saluda       | N/A                                     |      | 1                                | 28   | 5                        | 38   | 8                         | 42   | 13                       | 41   | 13,156                                  | 34   |
| Spartanburg  | N/A                                     |      | 16                               | 8    | 179                      | 3    | 210                       | 3    | 389                      | 3    | 311,243                                 | 6    |
| Sumter       | N/A                                     |      | 1                                | 28   | 30                       | 16   | 76                        | 11   | 106                      | 15   | N/A                                     |      |
| Union        | 1                                       | 9    | 2                                | 22   | 14                       | 28   | 20                        | 33   | 34                       | 32   | 12,781                                  | 35   |
| Williamsburg | N/A                                     |      | 0                                | 36   | 9                        | 34   | 14                        | 36   | 23                       | 36   | 28,296                                  | 26   |
| York         | N/A                                     |      | 18                               | 6    | 61                       | 11   | 65                        | 15   | 126                      | 11   | 257,242                                 | 7    |
| Total        | 552                                     |      | 518                              |      | 2,111                    |      | 2,898                     |      | 5009                     |      | 6,525,035                               |      |
| Median       | 9                                       |      | 3                                |      | 21                       |      | 37                        |      | 54                       |      | 39,191                                  |      |
| Average      | 55                                      |      | 12                               |      | 50                       |      | 69                        |      | 119                      |      | 167,309                                 |      |

**FY07 Public Library Registered Borrowers and Circulation**

| Library      | Registered Borrowers Juvenile |      | Registered Borrowers Adult |      | Total Registered Borrowers |      | Annual Physical Library Visits |      | Total Circulation |      | Adult Circulation Print |      | Juvenile Circulation Print |      | Juvenile Non-print |      | Total Juvenile Circulation |      |
|--------------|-------------------------------|------|----------------------------|------|----------------------------|------|--------------------------------|------|-------------------|------|-------------------------|------|----------------------------|------|--------------------|------|----------------------------|------|
|              | Numerical                     | Rank | Numerical                  | Rank | Numerical                  | Rank | Numerical                      | Rank | Numerical         | Rank | Numerical               | Rank | Numerical                  | Rank | Numerical          | Rank | Numerical                  | Rank |
| ABBE         | 16,555                        | 12   | 44,437                     | 11   | 60,992                     | 11   | 436,825                        | 10   | 655,513           | 9    | 243,762                 | 11   | 190,383                    | 8    | 38,963             | 9    | 229,346                    | 9    |
| Abbeville    | 2,568                         | 39   | 8,582                      | 33   | 11,150                     | 38   | 36,562                         | 38   | 63,456            | 34   | 27,203                  | 36   | 18,523                     | 36   | 6,103              | 23   | 24,626                     | 34   |
| AHJ          | 5,277                         | 30   | 9,908                      | 31   | 15,185                     | 31   | 68,271                         | 33   | 58,139            | 36   | 26,412                  | 37   | 24,258                     | 32   | 2,416              | 32   | 26,674                     | 32   |
| Anderson     | 9,689                         | 18   | 39,859                     | 14   | 49,548                     | 16   | 390,378                        | 12   | 590,135           | 10   | 321,422                 | 8    | 163,911                    | 10   | 22,648             | 10   | 186,559                    | 11   |
| Beaufort     | 20,535                        | 8    | 79,055                     | 7    | 99,590                     | 8    | 496,980                        | 8    | 747,079           | 8    | 272,220                 | 9    | 183,432                    | 9    | 227,010            | 3    | 410,442                    | 7    |
| Berkeley     | 20,212                        | 9    | 47,773                     | 10   | 67,985                     | 9    | 326,263                        | 13   | 358,867           | 14   | 179,602                 | 14   | 153,559                    | 13   | 10,698             | 15   | 164,257                    | 12   |
| Calhoun      | 1,864                         | 40   | 2,985                      | 40   | 4,849                      | 40   | 36,249                         | 40   | 32,960            | 39   | 13,068                  | 42   | 11,555                     | 39   | 1,077              | 38   | 12,632                     | 40   |
| Chapin       | 5,116                         | 31   | 26,468                     | 19   | 31,604                     | 21   | 110,440                        | 28   | 177,883           | 22   | 73,781                  | 27   | 73,180                     | 19   | 14,615             | 13   | 87,795                     | 17   |
| Charleston   | 49,952                        | 2    | 264,451                    | 1    | 314,403                    | 1    | 1,978,789                      | 1    | 3,356,136         | 1    | 2,342,217               | 1    | 1,013,919                  | 1    | 0                  | 42   | 1,013,919                  | 3    |
| Cherokee     | 7,935                         | 25   | 18,691                     | 23   | 26,626                     | 23   | 113,286                        | 25   | 155,087           | 26   | 86,527                  | 24   | 53,534                     | 24   | 3,752              | 27   | 57,286                     | 24   |
| Chester      | 9,495                         | 19   | 13,663                     | 26   | 23,158                     | 26   | 68,588                         | 32   | 94,104            | 29   | 47,967                  | 30   | 41,166                     | 25   | 927                | 39   | 42,093                     | 27   |
| Chesterfield | 6,230                         | 27   | 13,485                     | 27   | 19,715                     | 28   | 85,043                         | 30   | 104,051           | 27   | 74,382                  | 26   | 27,147                     | 30   | 300                | 40   | 27,447                     | 31   |
| Clarendon    | 4,317                         | 34   | 11,616                     | 30   | 15,933                     | 30   | 36,400                         | 39   | 51,514            | 37   | 28,535                  | 35   | 14,441                     | 37   | 1,917              | 34   | 16,358                     | 37   |
| Colleton     | 4,046                         | 35   | 7,379                      | 38   | 11,425                     | 37   | 89,345                         | 29   | 103,510           | 28   | 48,253                  | 29   | 33,769                     | 27   | 3,464              | 30   | 37,233                     | 29   |
| Darlington   | 9,336                         | 20   | 15,726                     | 25   | 25,062                     | 25   | 312,782                        | 14   | 296,923           | 16   | 130,801                 | 17   | 73,736                     | 18   | 3,639              | 28   | 77,375                     | 20   |
| Dillon       | 4,412                         | 33   | 11,782                     | 29   | 16,194                     | 29   | 112,096                        | 27   | 177,415           | 23   | 102,848                 | 22   | 59,102                     | 22   | 6,381              | 22   | 65,483                     | 22   |
| Dorchester   | 19,385                        | 10   | 40,561                     | 13   | 59,946                     | 13   | 300,446                        | 16   | 576,402           | 12   | 217,873                 | 13   | 155,365                    | 12   | 53,500             | 6    | 208,865                    | 10   |
| Fairfield    | 5,920                         | 28   | 8,575                      | 34   | 14,495                     | 32   | 53,100                         | 35   | 72,606            | 33   | 33,158                  | 33   | 20,519                     | 33   | 3,478              | 29   | 23,997                     | 35   |
| Florence     | 13,262                        | 16   | 23,911                     | 21   | 37,173                     | 18   | 453,938                        | 9    | 460,660           | 13   | 267,161                 | 10   | 94,205                     | 16   | 69,901             | 5    | 164,106                    | 13   |
| Georgetown   | 14,595                        | 14   | 38,463                     | 15   | 53,058                     | 14   | 302,648                        | 15   | 169,305           | 25   | 82,892                  | 25   | 32,235                     | 28   | 15,170             | 12   | 47,405                     | 26   |
| Greenville   | 43,687                        | 3    | 180,712                    | 2    | 224,399                    | 2    | 1,799,769                      | 3    | 3,287,157         | 2    | 1,218,026               | 3    | 906,097                    | 3    | 395,024            | 1    | 1,301,121                  | 1    |
| Greenwood    | 13,614                        | 15   | 37,695                     | 16   | 51,309                     | 15   | 255,876                        | 17   | 244,563           | 18   | 129,526                 | 18   | 76,067                     | 17   | 9,843              | 16   | 85,910                     | 18   |
| Horry        | 28,332                        | 6    | 92,101                     | 5    | 120,433                    | 5    | 662,494                        | 6    | 963,035           | 7    | 405,198                 | 7    | 234,730                    | 7    | 7,479              | 20   | 242,209                    | 8    |
| Kershaw      | 8,294                         | 21   | 21,511                     | 22   | 29,805                     | 22   | 180,081                        | 21   | 199,537           | 20   | 100,566                 | 23   | 70,016                     | 20   | 8,142              | 18   | 78,158                     | 19   |
| Lancaster    | 8,269                         | 22   | 16,951                     | 24   | 25,220                     | 24   | 182,000                        | 20   | 221,222           | 19   | 110,347                 | 20   | 62,439                     | 21   | 11,012             | 14   | 73,451                     | 21   |
| Laurens      | 8,027                         | 24   | 26,742                     | 18   | 34,769                     | 19   | 131,200                        | 23   | 174,415           | 24   | 111,293                 | 19   | 40,932                     | 26   | 6,594              | 21   | 47,526                     | 25   |
| Lee          | 3,271                         | 38   | 5,005                      | 39   | 8,276                      | 39   | 46,332                         | 37   | 31,338            | 41   | 13,669                  | 41   | 12,002                     | 38   | 2,771              | 31   | 14,773                     | 38   |
| Lexington    | 23,534                        | 7    | 81,525                     | 6    | 105,059                    | 7    | 1,238,307                      | 5    | 1,837,563         | 4    | 663,595                 | 5    | 760,021                    | 4    | 134,561            | 4    | 894,582                    | 4    |
| Marion       | 8,126                         | 23   | 12,310                     | 28   | 20,436                     | 27   | 65,156                         | 34   | 80,403            | 32   | 51,223                  | 28   | 26,347                     | 31   | 1,152              | 37   | 27,499                     | 30   |
| Marlboro     | 3,818                         | 36   | 8,113                      | 36   | 11,931                     | 35   | 47,087                         | 36   | 38,357            | 38   | 22,496                  | 39   | 10,338                     | 40   | 2,360              | 33   | 12,698                     | 39   |
| McCormick    | 378                           | 42   | 1,205                      | 42   | 1,583                      | 42   | 24,400                         | 41   | 32,732            | 40   | 23,187                  | 38   | 2,651                      | 42   | 280                | 41   | 2,931                      | 42   |
| Newberry     | 5,619                         | 29   | 8,629                      | 32   | 14,248                     | 33   | 81,498                         | 31   | 83,301            | 30   | 34,271                  | 32   | 30,272                     | 29   | 7,942              | 19   | 38,214                     | 28   |
| Oconee       | 7,412                         | 26   | 26,016                     | 20   | 33,428                     | 20   | 237,111                        | 18   | 313,728           | 15   | 171,856                 | 15   | 106,930                    | 14   | 9,620              | 17   | 116,550                    | 15   |
| Orangeburg   | 12,945                        | 17   | 27,520                     | 17   | 40,465                     | 17   | 147,868                        | 22   | 283,467           | 17   | 149,001                 | 16   | 97,422                     | 15   | 15,386             | 11   | 112,808                    | 16   |
| Pickens      | 16,392                        | 13   | 49,411                     | 9    | 65,803                     | 10   | 426,829                        | 11   | 580,083           | 11   | 223,420                 | 12   | 157,251                    | 11   | 1,726              | 35   | 158,977                    | 14   |
| Richland     | 58,010                        | 1    | 160,318                    | 3    | 218,328                    | 3    | 1,895,646                      | 2    | 2,999,319         | 3    | 1,313,689               | 2    | 935,801                    | 2    | 311,933            | 2    | 1,247,734                  | 2    |
| Saluda       | 927                           | 41   | 1,818                      | 41   | 2,745                      | 41   | 23,400                         | 42   | 30,359            | 42   | 14,351                  | 40   | 8,023                      | 41   | 1,534              | 36   | 9,557                      | 41   |
| Spartanburg  | 43,351                        | 4    | 109,901                    | 4    | 153,252                    | 4    | 1,414,382                      | 4    | 1,432,261         | 5    | 688,230                 | 4    | 435,115                    | 6    | 49,246             | 7    | 484,361                    | 5    |
| Sumter       | 18,803                        | 11   | 42,085                     | 12   | 60,888                     | 12   | 214,864                        | 19   | 195,226           | 21   | 109,157                 | 21   | 56,987                     | 23   | 4,649              | 25   | 61,636                     | 23   |
| Union        | 4,767                         | 32   | 8,480                      | 35   | 13,247                     | 34   | 113,705                        | 24   | 80,926            | 31   | 45,614                  | 31   | 20,368                     | 34   | 5,309              | 24   | 25,677                     | 33   |
| Williamsburg | 3,657                         | 37   | 8,041                      | 37   | 11,698                     | 36   | 112,120                        | 26   | 58,674            | 35   | 31,743                  | 34   | 19,090                     | 35   | 4,037              | 26   | 23,127                     | 36   |
| York         | 36,263                        | 5    | 70,392                     | 8    | 106,655                    | 6    | 622,686                        | 7    | 1,007,939         | 6    | 444,530                 | 6    | 437,334                    | 5    | 43,958             | 8    | 481,292                    | 6    |
| Total        | 588,197                       |      | 1,723,871                  |      | 2,312,068                  |      | 15,731,240                     |      | 22,477,350        |      | 10,695,072              |      | 6,944,172                  |      | 1,520,517          |      | 8,464,689                  |      |
| Median       | 8,282                         |      | 22,711                     |      | 30,705                     |      | 163,975                        |      | 186,555           |      | 106,003                 |      | 60,771                     |      | 6,488              |      | 69,467                     |      |
| Average      | 14,005                        |      | 41,045                     |      | 55,049                     |      | 374,553                        |      | 535,175           |      | 254,645                 |      | 165,337                    |      | 36,203             |      | 201,540                    |      |



**FY07 Public Library Data: Interlibrary Loan, Reference and Programming**

| Library      | ILL Items Borrowed |      | ILL Items Lent |      | Total Annual Reference Transactions |      | Total Programming Number |      | Attendance |      |
|--------------|--------------------|------|----------------|------|-------------------------------------|------|--------------------------|------|------------|------|
|              | Numerical          | Rank | Numerical      | Rank | Numerical                           | Rank | Numerical                | Rank | Numerical  | Rank |
| ABBE         | 1,728              | 8    | 120            | 18   | 27,796                              | 18   | 867                      | 12   | 28,706     | 7    |
| Abbeville    | 460                | 20   | 5              | 26   | 11,351                              | 29   | 86                       | 38   | 1,874      | 37   |
| AHJ          | 25                 | 42   | 10             | 24   | 14,197                              | 25   | 348                      | 22   | 5,740      | 29   |
| Anderson     | 1,448              | 11   | 3,016          | 2    | 33,960                              | 15   | 451                      | 17   | 9,912      | 18   |
| Beaufort     | 1,584              | 10   | 372            | 16   | 50,066                              | 11   | 1,048                    | 9    | 19,307     | 11   |
| Berkeley     | 366                | 24   | 2              | 29   | 32,187                              | 16   | 185                      | 31   | 5,398      | 30   |
| Calhoun      | 97                 | 40   | 1              | 32   | 5,439                               | 34   | 58                       | 40   | 1,362      | 40   |
| Chapin       | 510                | 19   | 501            | 15   | 17,901                              | 22   | 385                      | 20   | 8,547      | 19   |
| Charleston   | 5,435              | 1    | 1,820          | 4    | 1,793,124                           | 1    | 4,270                    | 1    | 116,320    | 1    |
| Cherokee     | 251                | 28   | 1              | 32   | 2,458                               | 41   | 270                      | 25   | 8,203      | 20   |
| Chester      | 567                | 17   | 591            | 12   | 25,036                              | 19   | 417                      | 18   | 7,280      | 25   |
| Chesterfield | 377                | 23   | 0              | 34   | 35,943                              | 13   | 617                      | 14   | 15,678     | 12   |
| Clarendon    | 312                | 27   | 2              | 29   | 3,089                               | 38   | 44                       | 41   | 1,087      | 41   |
| Colleton     | 195                | 36   | 0              | 34   | 5,016                               | 35   | 254                      | 26   | 12,236     | 16   |
| Darlington   | 1,875              | 7    | 1,400          | 5    | 20,705                              | 21   | 1,164                    | 8    | 14,051     | 15   |
| Dillon       | 669                | 15   | 887            | 9    | 12,759                              | 27   | 221                      | 30   | 3,363      | 33   |
| Dorchester   | 203                | 33   | 0              | 34   | 72,585                              | 7    | 387                      | 19   | 7,093      | 26   |
| Fairfield    | 229                | 30   | 0              | 34   | 4,380                               | 36   | 279                      | 24   | 4,491      | 31   |
| Florence     | 1,175              | 13   | 549            | 14   | 56,185                              | 9    | 677                      | 13   | 26,189     | 9    |
| Georgetown   | 666                | 16   | 846            | 11   | 35,339                              | 14   | 1,030                    | 10   | 24,529     | 10   |
| Greenville   | 5,052              | 2    | 4,288          | 1    | 303,095                             | 4    | 1,754                    | 5    | 60,409     | 4    |
| Greenwood    | 182                | 37   | 49             | 19   | 11,480                              | 28   | 249                      | 27   | 5,932      | 27   |
| Horry        | 2,774              | 4    | 1,124          | 7    | 37,459                              | 12   | 1,349                    | 7    | 27,557     | 8    |
| Kershaw      | 335                | 26   | 34             | 21   | 929                                 | 42   | 159                      | 32   | 3,340      | 34   |
| Lancaster    | 56                 | 41   | 2              | 29   | 22,000                              | 20   | 498                      | 16   | 14,498     | 14   |
| Laurens      | 449                | 21   | 11             | 22   | 16,900                              | 23   | 249                      | 27   | 7,509      | 23   |
| Lee          | 226                | 31   | 0              | 34   | 9,490                               | 30   | 348                      | 22   | 7,307      | 24   |
| Lexington    | 4,352              | 3    | 316            | 17   | 499,686                             | 3    | 2,006                    | 4    | 61,856     | 3    |
| Marion       | 1,403              | 12   | 580            | 13   | 3,582                               | 37   | 381                      | 21   | 7,847      | 21   |
| Marlboro     | 197                | 34   | 869            | 10   | 5,763                               | 33   | 91                       | 37   | 2,105      | 36   |
| McCormick    | 135                | 38   | 0              | 34   | 2,850                               | 40   | 112                      | 36   | 1,786      | 38   |
| Newberry     | 208                | 32   | 11             | 22   | 12,791                              | 26   | 906                      | 11   | 7,671      | 22   |
| Oconee       | 1,617              | 9    | 0              | 34   | 9,360                               | 31   | 124                      | 34   | 4,356      | 32   |
| Orangeburg   | 382                | 22   | 3              | 28   | 29,677                              | 17   | 123                      | 35   | 2,838      | 35   |
| Pickens      | 197                | 34   | 8              | 25   | 52,469                              | 10   | 505                      | 15   | 14,959     | 13   |
| Richland     | 841                | 14   | 1,093          | 8    | 929,388                             | 2    | 2,368                    | 3    | 51,115     | 5    |
| Saluda       | 342                | 25   | 0              | 34   | 14,326                              | 24   | 60                       | 39   | 795        | 42   |
| Spartanburg  | 2,090              | 6    | 2,400          | 3    | 197,329                             | 5    | 2,500                    | 2    | 68,184     | 2    |
| Sumter       | 512                | 18   | 1,307          | 6    | 67,132                              | 8    | 229                      | 29   | 11,417     | 17   |
| Union        | 250                | 29   | 0              | 34   | 7,500                               | 32   | 129                      | 33   | 5,800      | 28   |
| Williamsburg | 127                | 39   | 5              | 26   | 2,950                               | 39   | 35                       | 42   | 1,384      | 39   |
| York         | 2,248              | 5    | 39             | 20   | 185,822                             | 6    | 1,471                    | 6    | 51,095     | 6    |
| Total        | 42,147             |      | 22,262         |      | 4,681,494                           |      | 28,704                   |      | 741,126    |      |
| Median       | 416                |      | 23             |      | 19,303                              |      | 365                      |      | 7,759      |      |
| Average      | 1,004              |      | 530            |      | 111,464                             |      | 683                      |      | 17,646     |      |

**FY07 Public Library Programming**

| Library      | Children's Programs<br>(0 to 14) |      | Attendance at<br>Children Programs |      | Young Adult<br>Programs (15-18) |      | Attendance at YA<br>Programs |      | Adult Programs |      | Attendance at Adult<br>Programs |      |
|--------------|----------------------------------|------|------------------------------------|------|---------------------------------|------|------------------------------|------|----------------|------|---------------------------------|------|
|              | Numerical                        | Rank | Numerical                          | Rank | Numerical                       | Rank | Numerical                    | Rank | Numerical      | Rank | Numerical                       | Rank |
| ABBE         | 714                              | 12   | 25,371                             | 7    | 43                              | 8    | 1,168                        | 6    | 110            | 11   | 2,167                           | 10   |
| Abbeville    | 65                               | 38   | 991                                | 40   | 13                              | 17   | 613                          | 10   | 8              | 34   | 270                             | 30   |
| AHJ          | 312                              | 21   | 4,959                              | 28   | 25                              | 14   | 326                          | 17   | 11             | 31   | 455                             | 26   |
| Anderson     | 378                              | 18   | 8,572                              | 18   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 73             | 13   | 1,340                           | 16   |
| Beaufort     | 859                              | 9    | 16,376                             | 11   | 56                              | 6    | 1,061                        | 7    | 133            | 9    | 1,870                           | 14   |
| Berkeley     | 138                              | 30   | 4,557                              | 29   | 26                              | 13   | 603                          | 11   | 21             | 25   | 238                             | 31   |
| Calhoun      | 54                               | 40   | 1,297                              | 37   | 4                               | 24   | 65                           | 25   | 0              | 41   | 0                               | 41   |
| Chapin       | 366                              | 20   | 7,848                              | 19   | 1                               | 29   | 25                           | 29   | 18             | 28   | 674                             | 22   |
| Charleston   | 2,777                            | 1    | 72,397                             | 1    | 437                             | 1    | 19,876                       | 1    | 1,056          | 1    | 24,047                          | 1    |
| Cherokee     | 237                              | 24   | 7,192                              | 22   | 8                               | 21   | 53                           | 26   | 25             | 24   | 958                             | 20   |
| Chester      | 413                              | 17   | 7,099                              | 23   | 3                               | 26   | 74                           | 23   | 1              | 40   | 107                             | 37   |
| Chesterfield | 607                              | 13   | 15,618                             | 12   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 10             | 32   | 60                              | 38   |
| Clarendon    | 36                               | 41   | 859                                | 41   | 2                               | 27   | 45                           | 27   | 6              | 36   | 183                             | 34   |
| Colleton     | 237                              | 24   | 11,763                             | 15   | 1                               | 29   | 17                           | 31   | 16             | 29   | 456                             | 25   |
| Darlington   | 739                              | 10   | 11,061                             | 16   | 43                              | 8    | 964                          | 8    | 382            | 4    | 2,026                           | 13   |
| Dillon       | 154                              | 29   | 1,179                              | 38   | 9                               | 20   | 66                           | 24   | 58             | 15   | 2,118                           | 11   |
| Dorchester   | 300                              | 22   | 6,379                              | 24   | 31                              | 11   | 394                          | 14   | 56             | 16   | 320                             | 29   |
| Fairfield    | 207                              | 27   | 3,407                              | 30   | 2                               | 27   | 28                           | 28   | 70             | 14   | 1,056                           | 18   |
| Florence     | 591                              | 14   | 24,777                             | 8    | 30                              | 12   | 367                          | 15   | 56             | 16   | 1,045                           | 19   |
| Georgetown   | 942                              | 7    | 20,438                             | 10   | 11                              | 19   | 330                          | 16   | 77             | 12   | 3,761                           | 5    |
| Greenville   | 1,572                            | 5    | 56,529                             | 4    | 40                              | 10   | 474                          | 12   | 142            | 8    | 3,406                           | 7    |
| Greenwood    | 202                              | 28   | 5,401                              | 27   | 4                               | 24   | 22                           | 30   | 43             | 19   | 509                             | 24   |
| Horry        | 723                              | 11   | 20,507                             | 9    | 52                              | 7    | 669                          | 9    | 574            | 2    | 6,381                           | 3    |
| Kershaw      | 122                              | 32   | 2,949                              | 32   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 37             | 21   | 391                             | 28   |
| Lancaster    | 494                              | 15   | 14,338                             | 13   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 4              | 37   | 160                             | 35   |
| Laurens      | 123                              | 31   | 5,727                              | 26   | 5                               | 22   | 240                          | 19   | 121            | 10   | 1,542                           | 15   |
| Lee          | 276                              | 23   | 6,333                              | 25   | 19                              | 15   | 285                          | 18   | 53             | 18   | 689                             | 21   |
| Lexington    | 1,745                            | 3    | 56,716                             | 3    | 83                              | 4    | 1,484                        | 5    | 178            | 7    | 3,656                           | 6    |
| Marion       | 374                              | 19   | 7,630                              | 20   | 5                               | 22   | 190                          | 20   | 2              | 39   | 27                              | 39   |
| Marlboro     | 88                               | 36   | 2,083                              | 35   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 3              | 38   | 22                              | 40   |
| McCormick    | 92                               | 35   | 1,586                              | 36   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 20             | 26   | 200                             | 33   |
| Newberry     | 894                              | 8    | 7,515                              | 21   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 12             | 30   | 156                             | 36   |
| Oconee       | 97                               | 34   | 3,163                              | 31   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 27             | 23   | 1,193                           | 17   |
| Orangeburg   | 104                              | 33   | 2,433                              | 33   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 19             | 27   | 405                             | 27   |
| Pickens      | 448                              | 16   | 14,129                             | 14   | 17                              | 16   | 183                          | 21   | 40             | 20   | 647                             | 23   |
| Richland     | 1,686                            | 4    | 39,864                             | 6    | 110                             | 3    | 1,808                        | 4    | 572            | 3    | 9,443                           | 2    |
| Saluda       | 60                               | 39   | 795                                | 42   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 0              | 41   | 0                               | 41   |
| Spartanburg  | 1,928                            | 2    | 60,800                             | 2    | 193                             | 2    | 2,766                        | 2    | 379            | 5    | 4,618                           | 4    |
| Sumter       | 220                              | 26   | 9,214                              | 17   | 1                               | 29   | 96                           | 22   | 8              | 34   | 2,107                           | 12   |
| Union        | 82                               | 37   | 2,200                              | 34   | 12                              | 18   | 432                          | 13   | 35             | 22   | 3,168                           | 8    |
| Williamsburg | 26                               | 42   | 1,148                              | 39   | 0                               | 32   | 0                            | 32   | 9              | 33   | 236                             | 32   |
| York         | 1,130                            | 6    | 46,214                             | 5    | 74                              | 5    | 2,077                        | 3    | 267            | 6    | 2,804                           | 9    |
| Total        | 22,612                           |      | 619,414                            |      | 1,360                           |      | 36,801                       |      | 4,732          |      | 84,911                          |      |
| Median       | 306                              |      | 7,354                              |      | 7                               |      | 140                          |      | 36             |      | 682                             |      |
| Average      | 538                              |      | 14,748                             |      | 32                              |      | 876                          |      | 113            |      | 2,022                           |      |

**FY07 Public Library Training**

| Library      | User Training:<br>Number of<br>Sessions |      | Users Trained |      | Hours of User Training |      | Staff Training:<br>Number of<br>Sessions |      | Staff Trained |      | Hours of Staff<br>Training |      |
|--------------|---|------|---------------|------|------------------------|------|--|------|---------------|------|----------------------------|------|
|              | Numerical                               | Rank | Numerical     | Rank | Numerical              | Rank | Numerical                                | Rank | Numerical     | Rank | Numerical                  | Rank |
| ABBE         | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 40                                       | 14   | 85            | 11   | 100                        | 28   |
| Abbeville    | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 35                                       | 16   | 5             | 37   | 141                        | 22   |
| AHJ          | 6                                       | 21   | 12            | 22   | 12                     | 21   | 23                                       | 22   | 26            | 24   | 81                         | 30   |
| Anderson     | 42                                      | 10   | 188           | 15   | 63                     | 14   | 40                                       | 14   | 474           | 5    | 122                        | 25   |
| Beaufort     | 285                                     | 5    | 1,903         | 2    | 4,757                  | 1    | 245                                      | 2    | 153           | 8    | 913                        | 7    |
| Berkeley     | 20                                      | 16   | 120           | 19   | 60                     | 15   | 10                                       | 28   | 7             | 34   | 140                        | 23   |
| Calhoun      | 1                                       | 23   | 6             | 23   | 6                      | 22   | 6  | 36   | 6             | 36   | 38                         | 34   |
| Chapin       | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 3  | 39   | 12            | 29   | 36                         | 36   |
| Charleston   | 296                                     | 4    | 2,138         | 1    | 601                    | 5    | 92                                       | 8    | 955           | 2    | 1,030                      | 5    |
| Cherokee     | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 54                                       | 11   | 48            | 16   | 196                        | 19   |
| Chester      | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 1  | 42   | 12            | 29   | 5                          | 42   |
| Chesterfield | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 25                                       | 21   | 5             | 37   | 100                        | 28   |
| Clarendon    | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 10                                       | 28   | 10            | 31   | 30                         | 38   |
| Colleton     | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 14                                       | 27   | 15            | 26   | 623                        | 12   |
| Darlington   | 308                                     | 3    | 1,254         | 5    | 616                    | 4    | 22                                       | 23   | 48            | 16   | 192                        | 20   |
| Dillon       | 14                                      | 18   | 205           | 14   | 42                     | 18   | 2  | 41   | 10            | 31   | 15                         | 40   |
| Dorchester   | 40                                      | 12   | 236           | 13   | 60                     | 15   | 49                                       | 12   | 45            | 18   | 702                        | 11   |
| Fairfield    | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 10                                       | 28   | 4             | 39   | 37                         | 35   |
| Florence     | 7                                       | 20   | 173           | 16   | 19                     | 19   | 27                                       | 18   | 285           | 7    | 135                        | 24   |
| Georgetown   | 12                                      | 19   | 360           | 10   | 720                    | 3    | 48                                       | 13   | 73            | 14   | 1,224                      | 4    |
| Greenville   | 42                                      | 10   | 284           | 12   | 278                    | 9    | 199                                      | 4    | 769           | 4    | 2,164                      | 3    |
| Greenwood    | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 15                                       | 26   | 30            | 22   | 862                        | 8    |
| Horry        | 131                                     | 6    | 652           | 6    | 344                    | 7    | 209                                      | 3    | 143           | 9    | 798                        | 9    |
| Kershaw      | 36                                      | 14   | 388           | 8    | 54                     | 17   | 3  | 39   | 38            | 20   | 222                        | 17   |
| Lancaster    | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 8  | 33   | 4             | 39   | 32                         | 37   |
| Laurens      | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 26                                       | 20   | 101           | 10   | 368                        | 14   |
| Lee          | 450                                     | 1    | 150           | 18   | 300                    | 8    | 10                                       | 28   | 10            | 31   | 58                         | 33   |
| Lexington    | 60                                      | 9    | 445           | 7    | 434                    | 6    | 180                                      | 5    | 305           | 6    | 979                        | 6    |
| Marion       | 15                                      | 17   | 15            | 21   | 15                     | 20   | 55                                       | 10   | 40            | 19   | 180                        | 21   |
| Marlboro     | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 20                                       | 24   | 35            | 21   | 216                        | 18   |
| McCormick    | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 8  | 33   | 14            | 27   | 61                         | 32   |
| Newberry     | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 5  | 37   | 2             | 42   | 7                          | 41   |
| Oconee       | 6                                       | 21   | 28            | 20   | 6                      | 22   | 146                                      | 6    | 29            | 23   | 601                        | 13   |
| Orangeburg   | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 62                                       | 9    | 81            | 13   | 367                        | 15   |
| Pickens      | 314                                     | 2    | 1,304         | 4    | 1,956                  | 2    | 10                                       | 28   | 57            | 15   | 714                        | 10   |
| Richland     | 124                                     | 7    | 1,462         | 3    | 273                    | 10   | 283                                      | 1    | 1,359         | 1    | 4,327                      | 1    |
| Saluda       | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 4  | 38   | 3             | 41   | 22                         | 39   |
| Spartanburg  | 72                                      | 8    | 386           | 9    | 108                    | 11   | 98                                       | 7    | 899           | 3    | 2,362                      | 2    |
| Sumter       | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 8  | 33   | 13            | 28   | 108                        | 26   |
| Union        | 38                                      | 13   | 162           | 17   | 86                     | 12   | 35                                       | 16   | 7             | 34   | 105                        | 27   |
| Williamsburg | 0                                       | 24   | 0             | 24   | 0                      | 24   | 16                                       | 25   | 22            | 25   | 63                         | 31   |
| York         | 35                                      | 15   | 292           | 11   | 79                     | 13   | 27                                       | 18   | 84            | 12   | 332                        | 16   |
| Total        | 2,354                                   |      | 12,163        |      | 10,889                 |      | 2,183                                    |      | 6,323         |      | 20,808                     |      |
| Median       | 6                                       |      | 14            |      | 9                      |      | 24                                       |      | 33            |      | 161                        |      |
| Average      | 56                                      |      | 290           |      | 259                    |      | 52                                       |      | 151           |      | 495                        |      |



**FY07 Public Library Data Analysis: Revenue, Expenditures, Service Hours**

| Library      | Operating Income Per Capita |      | Local Revenue Per Capita |      | Local Revenue as % of Total Revenue |      | Staff as % of Total Expenditures |      | Collection as % of Total Expenditures |      | Electronic (Digital) as % of Total Expenditures |      | Average Open Hours Per Outlet |      | Eve/Weekend Hours as % of Total Open Hours |      |
|--------------|-----------------------------|------|--------------------------|------|-------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------|------|---|------|-------------------------------|------|--|------|
|              | Numerical                   | Rank | Numerical                | Rank | Numerical                           | Rank | Numerical                        | Rank | Numerical                             | Rank | Numerical                                       | Rank | Numerical                     | Rank | Numerical                                  | Rank |
| ABBE         | 13.23                       | 33   | 8.94                     | 32   | 67.57%                              | 38   | 66.39%                           | 10   | 12.77%                                | 36   | 0.88%   | 17   | 1441                          | 35   | 26.39%                                     | 18   |
| Abbeville    | 10.04                       | 39   | 7.69                     | 37   | 76.56%                              | 23   | 53.29%                           | 39   | 18.51%                                | 11   | 0.61%   | 22   | 2054                          | 25   | 16.88%                                     | 36   |
| AHJ          | 16.74                       | 24   | 5.60                     | 42   | 33.45%                              | 42   | 60.40%                           | 28   | 9.65%                                 | 42   | 0.00%   | 30   | 1509                          | 33   | 8.28%                                      | 42   |
| Anderson     | 22.33                       | 15   | 18.99                    | 12   | 85.07%                              | 13   | 63.37%                           | 24   | 12.61%                                | 38   | 1.77%   | 9    | 2476                          | 12   | 29.97%                                     | 13   |
| Beaufort     | 28.66                       | 5    | 26.05                    | 5    | 90.92%                              | 1    | 67.37%                           | 8    | 13.29%                                | 34   | 0.69%   | 19   | 861                           | 41   | 272.97%                                    | 1    |
| Berkeley     | 18.74                       | 19   | 16.53                    | 17   | 88.18%                              | 7    | 69.20%                           | 3    | 17.26%                                | 14   | 1.79%   | 8    | 2483                          | 11   | 19.90%                                     | 31   |
| Calhoun      | 17.37                       | 22   | 13.96                    | 23   | 80.38%                              | 19   | 69.02%                           | 4    | 15.28%                                | 23   | 0.00%   | 30   | 1235                          | 40   | 16.84%                                     | 37   |
| Chapin       | 53.97                       | 1    | 47.60                    | 1    | 88.21%                              | 6    | 66.36%                           | 11   | 18.83%                                | 7    | 0.65%   | 20   | 3676                          | 1    | 18.06%                                     | 35   |
| Charleston   | 44.52                       | 3    | 40.00                    | 3    | 89.85%                              | 3    | 66.30%                           | 12   | 15.13%                                | 25   | 1.21%   | 15   | 2190                          | 18   | 34.63%                                     | 7    |
| Cherokee     | 16.51                       | 25   | 13.60                    | 24   | 82.39%                              | 18   | 60.70%                           | 27   | 16.25%                                | 18   | 1.82%   | 7    | 1985                          | 27   | 19.65%                                     | 33   |
| Chester      | 24.19                       | 13   | 19.28                    | 11   | 79.72%                              | 20   | 59.83%                           | 30   | 14.62%                                | 30   | 0.54%   | 24   | 1378                          | 39   | 22.64%                                     | 25   |
| Chesterfield | 9.44                        | 41   | 7.05                     | 40   | 74.69%                              | 27   | 68.98%                           | 5    | 18.51%                                | 10   | 3.06%   | 3    | 1757                          | 29   | 15.15%                                     | 38   |
| Clarendon    | 15.81                       | 27   | 11.86                    | 25   | 75.04%                              | 26   | 52.70%                           | 40   | 15.83%                                | 19   | 2.65%   | 5    | 3444                          | 2    | 21.25%                                     | 26   |
| Colleton     | 20.95                       | 17   | 14.36                    | 22   | 68.51%                              | 36   | 54.15%                           | 38   | 16.84%                                | 15   | 0.26%   | 27   | 1591                          | 31   | 22.88%                                     | 23   |
| Darlington   | 18.23                       | 20   | 15.33                    | 19   | 84.12%                              | 16   | 63.56%                           | 22   | 12.87%                                | 35   | 0.19%   | 29   | 2646                          | 7    | 32.43%                                     | 9    |
| Dillon       | 13.94                       | 32   | 10.39                    | 30   | 74.53%                              | 28   | 58.69%                           | 34   | 26.65%                                | 3    | 1.16%   | 16   | 2048                          | 26   | 20.63%                                     | 30   |
| Dorchester   | 17.60                       | 21   | 14.91                    | 20   | 84.77%                              | 14   | 67.20%                           | 9    | 15.49%                                | 22   | 0.77%   | 18   | 2149                          | 20   | 30.65%                                     | 12   |
| Fairfield    | 24.94                       | 9    | 16.36                    | 18   | 65.61%                              | 40   | 54.43%                           | 36   | 18.76%                                | 8    | 2.24%   | 6    | 1400                          | 38   | 19.81%                                     | 32   |
| Florence     | 24.88                       | 10   | 22.38                    | 8    | 89.97%                              | 2    | 51.54%                           | 42   | 10.78%                                | 40   | 0.62%   | 21   | 2065                          | 22   | 24.81%                                     | 20   |
| Georgetown   | 27.53                       | 7    | 19.68                    | 10   | 71.49%                              | 34   | 64.75%                           | 17   | 12.71%                                | 37   | 0.00%   | 30   | 2766                          | 5    | 27.84%                                     | 16   |
| Greenville   | 28.09                       | 6    | 23.69                    | 6    | 84.35%                              | 15   | 65.98%                           | 14   | 16.42%                                | 17   | 2.93%   | 4    | 2908                          | 4    | 37.91%                                     | 3    |
| Greenwood    | 21.71                       | 16   | 18.96                    | 13   | 87.34%                              | 9    | 59.66%                           | 31   | 13.54%                                | 32   | 0.00%   | 30   | 2483                          | 10   | 19.18%                                     | 34   |
| Horry        | 17.17                       | 23   | 14.88                    | 21   | 86.65%                              | 12   | 65.72%                           | 15   | 17.74%                                | 12   | 1.23%   | 14   | 2350                          | 15   | 29.87%                                     | 14   |
| Kershaw      | 15.72                       | 28   | 11.31                    | 26   | 71.93%                              | 33   | 64.62%                           | 19   | 18.62%                                | 9    | 3.56%   | 1    | 1651                          | 30   | 36.22%                                     | 5    |
| Lancaster    | 15.85                       | 26   | 10.51                    | 28   | 66.35%                              | 39   | 62.18%                           | 25   | 13.34%                                | 33   | 0.00%   | 30   | 2057                          | 23   | 21.07%                                     | 28   |
| Laurens      | 14.20                       | 30   | 9.73                     | 31   | 68.56%                              | 35   | 52.66%                           | 41   | 21.22%                                | 5    | 0.00%   | 30   | 2274                          | 17   | 20.96%                                     | 29   |
| Lee          | 11.02                       | 37   | 7.96                     | 36   | 72.22%                              | 32   | 68.65%                           | 6    | 11.10%                                | 39   | 0.00%   | 30   | 1430                          | 36   | 27.27%                                     | 17   |
| Lexington    | 24.49                       | 12   | 21.36                    | 9    | 87.21%                              | 10   | 68.28%                           | 7    | 17.71%                                | 13   | 0.40%   | 25   | 2356                          | 14   | 28.26%                                     | 15   |
| Marion       | 24.56                       | 11   | 18.62                    | 14   | 75.81%                              | 24   | 60.24%                           | 29   | 10.21%                                | 41   | 0.60%   | 23   | 1521                          | 32   | 22.65%                                     | 24   |
| Marlboro     | 11.69                       | 35   | 8.56                     | 34   | 73.29%                              | 30   | 64.55%                           | 20   | 14.77%                                | 29   | 0.00%   | 30   | 1794                          | 28   | 10.14%                                     | 40   |
| McCormick    | 14.01                       | 31   | 8.23                     | 35   | 58.76%                              | 41   | 62.06%                           | 26   | 27.85%                                | 1    | 0.00%   | 30   | 2288                          | 16   | 40.91%                                     | 2    |
| Newberry     | 9.65                        | 40   | 7.58                     | 38   | 78.52%                              | 22   | 65.37%                           | 16   | 22.36%                                | 4    | 0.00%   | 30   | 2444                          | 13   | 9.57%                                      | 41   |
| Oconee       | 22.71                       | 14   | 17.99                    | 16   | 79.22%                              | 21   | 69.34%                           | 2    | 15.11%                                | 26   | 0.00%   | 30   | 2055                          | 24   | 25.06%                                     | 19   |
| Orangeburg   | 12.64                       | 34   | 10.43                    | 29   | 82.52%                              | 17   | 57.86%                           | 35   | 16.66%                                | 16   | 1.56%   | 11   | 552                           | 42   | 24.80%                                     | 21   |
| Pickens      | 25.57                       | 8    | 22.40                    | 7    | 87.59%                              | 8    | 66.23%                           | 13   | 15.26%                                | 24   | 0.29%   | 26   | 2977                          | 3    | 34.50%                                     | 8    |
| Richland     | 52.40                       | 2    | 46.90                    | 2    | 89.50%                              | 4    | 63.44%                           | 23   | 19.66%                                | 6    | 3.30%   | 2    | 2739                          | 6    | 36.87%                                     | 4    |
| Saluda       | 8.27                        | 42   | 5.65                     | 41   | 68.27%                              | 37   | 64.64%                           | 18   | 26.79%                                | 2    | 0.00%   | 30   | 2080                          | 21   | 15.00%                                     | 39   |
| Spartanburg  | 30.47                       | 4    | 26.93                    | 4    | 88.40%                              | 5    | 70.05%                           | 1    | 14.87%                                | 28   | 1.27%   | 13   | 2577                          | 8    | 31.82%                                     | 10   |
| Sumter       | 14.60                       | 29   | 10.56                    | 27   | 72.37%                              | 31   | 59.45%                           | 33   | 14.48%                                | 31   | 0.24%   | 28   | 2184                          | 19   | 31.55%                                     | 11   |
| Union        | 11.39                       | 36   | 8.57                     | 33   | 75.19%                              | 25   | 54.19%                           | 37   | 15.51%                                | 21   | 1.52%   | 12   | 1426                          | 37   | 23.00%                                     | 22   |
| Williamsburg | 10.15                       | 38   | 7.48                     | 39   | 73.71%                              | 29   | 59.62%                           | 32   | 15.55%                                | 20   | 0.00%   | 30   | 1460                          | 34   | 21.23%                                     | 27   |
| York         | 20.73                       | 18   | 18.06                    | 15   | 87.10%                              | 11   | 64.45%                           | 21   | 14.95%                                | 27   | 1.60%   | 10   | 2507                          | 9    | 34.83%                                     | 6    |
| Total        | 25.51                       |      | 21.65                    |      | 84.87%                              |      | 64.59%                           |      | 15.97%                                |      | 1.56%   |      | 2121                          |      | 30.63%                                     |      |
| Median       | 17.48                       |      | 14.62                    |      | 78.87%                              |      | 64.00%                           |      | 15.50%                                |      | 0.62%   |      | 2073                          |      | 23.90%                                     |      |
| Average      | 20.40                       |      | 16.36                    |      | 77.76%                              |      | 62.56%                           |      | 16.34%                                |      | 0.94%   |      | 2078                          |      | 30.58%                                     |      |

**FY07 Public Library Data Analysis: Personnel Elements**

| Library      | FTE Staff Per 25,000 Population |      | FTE Staff w/ ALA-MLS per 25,000 Population |      | Percentage of Staff Part-Time |      | # Training Hours Per FTE Staff |      |
|--------------|---------------------------------|------|--|------|-------------------------------|------|--------------------------------|------|
|              | Numerical                       | Rank | Numerical                                  | Rank | Numerical                     | Rank | Numerical                      | Rank |
| ABBE         | 6.87                            | 27   | 1.33                                       | 27   | 43.06%                        | 14   | 1.8                            | 38   |
| Abbeville    | 0.96                            | 42   | 0.96                                       | 30   | 62.50%                        | 2    | 141.0                          | 1    |
| AHJ          | 5.14                            | 39   | 0.43                                       | 40   | 57.14%                        | 5    | 6.8                            | 26   |
| Anderson     | 10.54                           | 7    | 2.03                                       | 13   | 36.63%                        | 25   | 1.6                            | 40   |
| Beaufort     | 14.15                           | 4    | 4.53                                       | 3    | 34.44%                        | 26   | 11.7                           | 20   |
| Berkeley     | 8.37                            | 17   | 1.64                                       | 20   | 5.77%                         | 39   | 2.7                            | 35   |
| Calhoun      | 9.98                            | 10   | 1.66                                       | 18   | 55.56%                        | 7    | 6.3                            | 27   |
| Chapin       | 12.92                           | 5    | 3.23                                       | 4    | 0.00%                         | 40   | 3.0                            | 33   |
| Charleston   | 19.13                           | 1    | 5.27                                       | 1    | 22.73%                        | 33   | 4.1                            | 31   |
| Cherokee     | 6.54                            | 29   | 0.47                                       | 39   | 38.89%                        | 22   | 14.0                           | 16   |
| Chester      | 5.14                            | 40   | 1.47                                       | 24   | 45.00%                        | 12   | 0.7                            | 42   |
| Chesterfield | 7.47                            | 21   | 0.57                                       | 38   | 20.00%                        | 35   | 7.7                            | 24   |
| Clarendon    | 6.74                            | 28   | 0.75                                       | 35   | 27.27%                        | 30   | 3.3                            | 32   |
| Colleton     | 7.53                            | 20   | 1.88                                       | 14   | 40.00%                        | 17   | 51.9                           | 2    |
| Darlington   | 9.27                            | 14   | 1.85                                       | 15   | 63.89%                        | 1    | 7.7                            | 25   |
| Dillon       | 7.25                            | 25   | 0.81                                       | 34   | 10.00%                        | 38   | 1.7                            | 39   |
| Dorchester   | 7.98                            | 18   | 1.47                                       | 23   | 39.47%                        | 20   | 18.5                           | 9    |
| Fairfield    | 7.35                            | 23   | 2.10                                       | 12   | 40.00%                        | 17   | 5.3                            | 30   |
| Florence     | 12.78                           | 6    | 3.05                                       | 5    | 25.00%                        | 31   | 2.0                            | 36   |
| Georgetown   | 9.84                            | 12   | 0.82                                       | 33   | 39.39%                        | 21   | 51.0                           | 3    |
| Greenville   | 9.89                            | 11   | 2.70                                       | 9    | 32.39%                        | 28   | 13.1                           | 19   |
| Greenwood    | 9.16                            | 15   | 2.93                                       | 7    | 20.69%                        | 34   | 34.5                           | 5    |
| Horry        | 6.29                            | 32   | 1.66                                       | 19   | 10.71%                        | 37   | 15.1                           | 13   |
| Kershaw      | 6.52                            | 30   | 1.74                                       | 16   | 40.91%                        | 16   | 14.8                           | 14   |
| Lancaster    | 6.34                            | 31   | 1.58                                       | 22   | 40.00%                        | 17   | 2.0                            | 37   |
| Laurens      | 6.04                            | 33   | 1.42                                       | 25   | 38.10%                        | 24   | 21.6                           | 7    |
| Lee          | 4.97                            | 41   | 0.00                                       | 41   | 20.00%                        | 35   | 14.5                           | 15   |
| Lexington    | 9.99                            | 9    | 2.60                                       | 10   | 42.74%                        | 15   | 10.2                           | 22   |
| Marion       | 9.31                            | 13   | 2.87                                       | 8    | 25.00%                        | 31   | 13.8                           | 17   |
| Marlboro     | 5.15                            | 38   | 0.86                                       | 32   | 0.00%                         | 40   | 36.0                           | 4    |
| McCormick    | 7.33                            | 24   | 0.00                                       | 41   | 60.00%                        | 3    | 20.3                           | 8    |
| Newberry     | 6.03                            | 34   | 0.67                                       | 37   | 50.00%                        | 8    | 0.8                            | 41   |
| Oconee       | 7.44                            | 22   | 1.42                                       | 26   | 38.46%                        | 23   | 28.6                           | 6    |
| Orangeburg   | 5.43                            | 36   | 1.63                                       | 21   | 33.33%                        | 27   | 18.4                           | 11   |
| Pickens      | 10.13                           | 8    | 2.42                                       | 11   | 31.58%                        | 29   | 15.5                           | 12   |
| Richland     | 16.87                           | 2    | 4.88                                       | 2    | 48.14%                        | 11   | 18.4                           | 10   |
| Saluda       | 5.25                            | 37   | 1.31                                       | 28   | 0.00%                         | 40   | 5.5                            | 29   |
| Spartanburg  | 15.95                           | 3    | 2.95                                       | 6    | 56.82%                        | 6    | 13.7                           | 18   |
| Sumter       | 8.77                            | 16   | 1.18                                       | 29   | 44.90%                        | 13   | 2.9                            | 34   |
| Union        | 7.95                            | 19   | 0.88                                       | 31   | 50.00%                        | 8    | 11.7                           | 21   |
| Williamsburg | 5.54                            | 35   | 0.69                                       | 36   | 50.00%                        | 8    | 7.9                            | 23   |
| York         | 6.97                            | 26   | 1.68                                       | 17   | 58.97%                        | 4    | 5.7                            | 28   |
| Total        | 10.42                           |      | 2.49                                       |      | 38.07%                        |      | 11.5                           |      |
| Median       | 7.46                            |      | 1.61                                       |      | 39.14%                        |      | 10.9                           |      |
| Average      | 8.41                            |      | 1.77                                       |      | 35.70%                        |      | 15.9                           |      |

**FY07 Public Library Data Analysis: Collections, Internet Computers and Usage**

| Library      | Books/Serials/<br>Volumes per<br>Capita |      | Turnover Rate |      | Audio Items per<br>1000 Residents |      | Video Items per<br>1000 Residents |      | Current Print Serial<br>Subscriptions per 1000<br>Residents |      | Public Internet<br>Computers per<br>Library Outlet |      | Internet Computers<br>per 5000 Residents |      |
|--------------|---|------|---------------|------|-----------------------------------|------|-----------------------------------|------|---|------|--|------|--|------|
|              | Numerical                               | Rank | Numerical     | Rank | Numerical                         | Rank | Numerical                         | Rank | Numerical   | Rank | Numerical  | Rank | Numerical                                | Rank |
| ABBE         | 1.17                                    | 39   | 1.79          | 12   | 58.82                             | 23   | 85.11                             | 11   | 1.81  | 42   | 12   | 24   | 4.10                                     | 11   |
| Abbeville    | 1.89                                    | 20   | 0.92          | 32   | 78.76                             | 16   | 80.56                             | 13   | 3.21  | 30   | 7  | 36   | 4.20                                     | 10   |
| AHJ          | 1.11                                    | 41   | 0.79          | 40   | 38.99                             | 35   | 15.07                             | 42   | 6.88  | 9    | 7  | 38   | 3.09                                     | 25   |
| Anderson     | 1.82                                    | 22   | 1.44          | 20   | 70.05                             | 19   | 62.89                             | 21   | 5.83  | 11   | 20   | 6    | 4.92                                     | 7    |
| Beaufort     | 1.77                                    | 23   | 1.87          | 10   | 77.85                             | 17   | 129.30                            | 7    | 5.63  | 12   | 17   | 13   | 3.16                                     | 24   |
| Berkeley     | 1.42                                    | 34   | 1.54          | 15   | 28.47                             | 40   | 39.49                             | 32   | 2.78  | 33   | 8  | 34   | 1.61                                     | 39   |
| Calhoun      | 1.71                                    | 25   | 0.96          | 31   | 85.78                             | 14   | 70.61                             | 17   | 8.32  | 3    | 9  | 30   | 2.99                                     | 26   |
| Chapin       | 3.32                                    | 5    | 1.91          | 9    | 206.34                            | 1    | 141.60                            | 5    | 3.53  | 24   | 30   | 2    | 6.46                                     | 3    |
| Charleston   | 3.35                                    | 4    | 3.02          | 2    | 129.48                            | 8    | 289.61                            | 1    | 7.11  | 7    | 19   | 10   | 4.59                                     | 8    |
| Cherokee     | 2.23                                    | 17   | 1.17          | 26   | 51.87                             | 28   | 42.01                             | 30   | 2.39  | 37   | 12   | 25   | 2.24                                     | 33   |
| Chester      | 2.97                                    | 7    | 0.88          | 35   | 136.49                            | 7    | 34.90                             | 35   | 2.70  | 35   | 8  | 33   | 3.67                                     | 14   |
| Chesterfield | 1.62                                    | 28   | 1.44          | 19   | 24.99                             | 41   | 17.79                             | 41   | 4.62  | 18   | 7  | 35   | 4.25                                     | 9    |
| Clarendon    | 1.33                                    | 38   | 0.97          | 30   | 80.57                             | 15   | 40.76                             | 31   | 3.06  | 32   | 12   | 25   | 1.80                                     | 37   |
| Colleton     | 2.59                                    | 10   | 0.79          | 39   | 54.75                             | 25   | 31.51                             | 37   | 4.44  | 20   | 13   | 20   | 3.26                                     | 19   |
| Darlington   | 2.42                                    | 11   | 1.26          | 22   | 49.13                             | 32   | 131.05                            | 6    | 5.16  | 16   | 12   | 28   | 3.49                                     | 17   |
| Dillon       | 3.36                                    | 3    | 1.55          | 14   | 50.15                             | 30   | 31.55                             | 36   | 9.51  | 2    | 17   | 14   | 8.22                                     | 2    |
| Dorchester   | 1.17                                    | 39   | 2.68          | 4    | 47.64                             | 33   | 81.51                             | 12   | 1.92  | 41   | 34   | 1    | 2.82                                     | 27   |
| Fairfield    | 3.37                                    | 2    | 0.67          | 41   | 108.19                            | 11   | 245.19                            | 2    | 7.27  | 6    | 7  | 40   | 2.73                                     | 28   |
| Florence     | 2.34                                    | 14   | 1.18          | 25   | 93.25                             | 13   | 72.95                             | 16   | 3.55  | 23   | 25   | 4    | 5.64                                     | 4    |
| Georgetown   | 2.33                                    | 15   | 0.81          | 38   | 114.02                            | 10   | 178.62                            | 4    | 3.30  | 29   | 13   | 19   | 5.49                                     | 5    |
| Greenville   | 1.88                                    | 21   | 2.71          | 3    | 160.33                            | 3    | 208.30                            | 3    | 4.05  | 22   | 23   | 5    | 3.25                                     | 20   |
| Greenwood    | 1.57                                    | 29   | 1.92          | 8    | 66.34                             | 20   | 57.20                             | 23   | 5.42  | 13   | 7  | 36   | 1.61                                     | 38   |
| Horry        | 1.38                                    | 36   | 2.20          | 6    | 128.58                            | 9    | 56.51                             | 24   | 4.72  | 17   | 19   | 11   | 4.01                                     | 12   |
| Kershaw      | 1.96                                    | 19   | 1.52          | 16   | 54.51                             | 27   | 68.43                             | 18   | 3.43  | 27   | 12   | 23   | 3.22                                     | 21   |
| Lancaster    | 2.41                                    | 12   | 1.14          | 27   | 60.38                             | 22   | 67.89                             | 19   | 3.14  | 31   | 10   | 29   | 1.50                                     | 42   |
| Laurens      | 1.76                                    | 24   | 1.23          | 23   | 104.61                            | 12   | 47.94                             | 28   | 4.22  | 21   | 17   | 14   | 2.42                                     | 31   |
| Lee          | 1.46                                    | 33   | 0.87          | 36   | 18.84                             | 42   | 37.58                             | 34   | 8.05  | 4    | 14   | 18   | 3.48                                     | 18   |
| Lexington    | 2.29                                    | 16   | 2.58          | 5    | 55.61                             | 24   | 127.90                            | 8    | 11.47   | 1    | 14   | 17   | 2.71                                     | 29   |
| Marion       | 2.41                                    | 12   | 0.92          | 33   | 50.83                             | 29   | 24.24                             | 40   | 5.90  | 10   | 13   | 22   | 5.44                                     | 6    |
| Marlboro     | 1.98                                    | 18   | 0.57          | 42   | 49.81                             | 31   | 64.25                             | 20   | 3.46  | 25   | 9  | 30   | 1.54                                     | 41   |
| McCormick    | 3.08                                    | 6    | 0.82          | 37   | 137.00                            | 6    | 55.74                             | 25   | 6.94  | 8    | 20   | 7    | 9.78                                     | 1    |
| Newberry     | 1.53                                    | 31   | 1.13          | 29   | 54.64                             | 26   | 77.02                             | 14   | 2.39  | 38   | 12   | 25   | 3.22                                     | 22   |
| Oconee       | 2.68                                    | 9    | 1.48          | 18   | 74.30                             | 18   | 57.48                             | 22   | 5.26  | 15   | 9  | 30   | 2.55                                     | 30   |
| Orangeburg   | 1.65                                    | 26   | 1.62          | 13   | 29.61                             | 39   | 48.70                             | 27   | 2.72  | 34   | 6  | 41   | 2.17                                     | 34   |
| Pickens      | 1.53                                    | 31   | 2.20          | 7    | 36.35                             | 36   | 103.22                            | 10   | 3.36  | 28   | 18   | 12   | 3.17                                     | 23   |
| Richland     | 3.55                                    | 1    | 1.82          | 11   | 142.07                            | 5    | 119.97                            | 9    | 7.87  | 5    | 15   | 16   | 2.34                                     | 32   |
| Saluda       | 0.97                                    | 42   | 1.21          | 24   | 33.79                             | 38   | 30.69                             | 38   | 2.15  | 40   | 4  | 42   | 2.10                                     | 35   |
| Spartanburg  | 2.79                                    | 8    | 1.49          | 17   | 148.34                            | 4    | 75.29                             | 15   | 5.29  | 14   | 19   | 9    | 3.87                                     | 13   |
| Sumter       | 1.39                                    | 35   | 1.13          | 28   | 182.73                            | 2    | 25.25                             | 39   | 3.44  | 26   | 25   | 3    | 3.60                                     | 15   |
| Union        | 1.64                                    | 27   | 1.42          | 21   | 63.10                             | 21   | 51.40                             | 26   | 4.52  | 19   | 20   | 7    | 3.53                                     | 16   |
| Williamsburg | 1.54                                    | 30   | 0.91          | 34   | 34.76                             | 37   | 39.16                             | 33   | 2.60  | 36   | 7  | 39   | 1.94                                     | 36   |
| York         | 1.34                                    | 37   | 3.16          | 1    | 47.43                             | 34   | 42.54                             | 29   | 2.35  | 39   | 13   | 20   | 1.56                                     | 40   |
| Total        | 2.12                                    |      | 1.92          |      | 94.03                             |      | 106.00                            |      | 4.98  |      | 15   |      | 3.35                                     |      |
| Median       | 1.85                                    |      | 1.34          |      | 61.74                             |      | 60.18                             |      | 4.14  |      | 13   |      | 3.22                                     |      |
| Average      | 2.05                                    |      | 1.47          |      | 79.04                             |      | 78.78                             |      | 4.66  |      | 14   |      | 3.52                                     |      |

**FY07 Public Library Data Analysis: Library Card Holders, Visits to Facilities**

| Library      | Internet Users per Capita |      | Registered Borrowers |      | % Population Registered |      | % Registered Users - Juvenile |      | Visits per Capita |      | Visits per Service Hour |      |
|--------------|---------------------------|------|----------------------|------|-------------------------|------|-------------------------------|------|-------------------|------|-------------------------|------|
|              | Numerical                 | Rank | Numerical            | Rank | Numerical               | Rank | Numerical                     | Rank | Numerical         | Rank | Numerical               | Rank |
| ABBE         | 0.63                      | 23   | 60,992               | 11   | 29.42%                  | 36   | 27.14%                        | 27   | 2.11              | 31   | 20.22                   | 24   |
| Abbeville    | 0.59                      | 25   | 11,150               | 38   | 42.61%                  | 28   | 23.03%                        | 35   | 1.40              | 39   | 5.93                    | 41   |
| AHJ          | 0.57                      | 26   | 15,185               | 31   | 26.04%                  | 40   | 34.75%                        | 11   | 1.17              | 41   | 0.75                    | 42   |
| Anderson     | 2.09                      | 5    | 49,548               | 16   | 26.78%                  | 39   | 19.55%                        | 39   | 2.11              | 30   | 15.76                   | 30   |
| Beaufort     | 0.60                      | 24   | 99,590               | 8    | 72.25%                  | 5    | 20.62%                        | 38   | 3.61              | 13   | 115.50                  | 1    |
| Berkeley     | 0.33                      | 36   | 67,985               | 9    | 44.64%                  | 25   | 29.73%                        | 22   | 2.14              | 28   | 21.90                   | 23   |
| Calhoun      | 0.54                      | 28   | 4,849                | 40   | 32.27%                  | 35   | 38.44%                        | 6    | 2.41              | 22   | 14.68                   | 31   |
| Chapin       | 2.33                      | 4    | 31,604               | 21   | 136.14%                 | 1    | 16.19%                        | 41   | 4.76              | 6    | 30.04                   | 13   |
| Charleston   | 2.40                      | 3    | 314,403              | 1    | 94.72%                  | 2    | 15.89%                        | 42   | 5.96              | 1    | 53.16                   | 3    |
| Cherokee     | 1.04                      | 15   | 26,626               | 23   | 49.72%                  | 19   | 29.80%                        | 21   | 2.12              | 29   | 19.03                   | 26   |
| Chester      | 0.04                      | 39   | 23,158               | 26   | 67.98%                  | 6    | 41.00%                        | 1    | 2.01              | 33   | 12.44                   | 35   |
| Chesterfield | 0.00                      | 40   | 19,715               | 28   | 45.32%                  | 24   | 31.60%                        | 18   | 1.96              | 34   | 9.68                    | 40   |
| Clarendon    | 0.42                      | 34   | 15,933               | 30   | 47.76%                  | 21   | 27.09%                        | 28   | 1.09              | 42   | 10.57                   | 39   |
| Colleton     | 0.49                      | 29   | 11,425               | 37   | 28.68%                  | 37   | 35.41%                        | 10   | 2.24              | 25   | 18.72                   | 27   |
| Darlington   | 1.28                      | 9    | 25,062               | 25   | 37.19%                  | 33   | 37.25%                        | 7    | 4.64              | 7    | 29.56                   | 14   |
| Dillon       | 1.10                      | 14   | 16,194               | 29   | 52.19%                  | 15   | 27.24%                        | 26   | 3.61              | 12   | 13.69                   | 32   |
| Dorchester   | 0.19                      | 38   | 59,946               | 13   | 50.38%                  | 18   | 32.34%                        | 15   | 2.53              | 21   | 46.60                   | 6    |
| Fairfield    | 1.30                      | 8    | 14,495               | 32   | 60.88%                  | 8    | 40.84%                        | 2    | 2.23              | 26   | 12.64                   | 34   |
| Florence     | 0.20                      | 37   | 37,173               | 18   | 28.36%                  | 38   | 35.68%                        | 9    | 3.46              | 14   | 31.40                   | 12   |
| Georgetown   | 1.19                      | 11   | 53,058               | 14   | 87.00%                  | 3    | 27.51%                        | 25   | 4.96              | 5    | 27.35                   | 17   |
| Greenville   | 3.42                      | 2    | 224,399              | 2    | 53.79%                  | 14   | 19.47%                        | 40   | 4.31              | 8    | 47.60                   | 5    |
| Greenwood    | 0.47                      | 30   | 51,309               | 15   | 75.22%                  | 4    | 26.53%                        | 30   | 3.75              | 11   | 25.76                   | 19   |
| Horry        | 0.00                      | 40   | 120,433              | 5    | 57.14%                  | 12   | 23.53%                        | 33   | 3.14              | 16   | 28.19                   | 16   |
| Kershaw      | 0.70                      | 21   | 29,805               | 22   | 51.84%                  | 16   | 27.83%                        | 24   | 3.13              | 17   | 27.27                   | 18   |
| Lancaster    | 0.44                      | 32   | 25,220               | 24   | 39.95%                  | 31   | 32.79%                        | 14   | 2.88              | 20   | 29.50                   | 15   |
| Laurens      | 0.74                      | 19   | 34,769               | 19   | 49.41%                  | 20   | 23.09%                        | 34   | 1.86              | 36   | 19.23                   | 25   |
| Lee          | 0.70                      | 20   | 8,276                | 39   | 41.14%                  | 29   | 39.52%                        | 4    | 2.30              | 24   | 16.20                   | 29   |
| Lexington    | 1.70                      | 6    | 105,059              | 7    | 43.75%                  | 27   | 22.40%                        | 36   | 5.16              | 4    | 52.57                   | 4    |
| Marion       | 0.98                      | 16   | 20,436               | 27   | 58.55%                  | 9    | 39.76%                        | 3    | 1.87              | 35   | 10.71                   | 37   |
| Marlboro     | 0.34                      | 35   | 11,931               | 35   | 40.93%                  | 30   | 32.00%                        | 16   | 1.62              | 37   | 13.12                   | 33   |
| McCormick    | 1.17                      | 12   | 1,583                | 42   | 15.48%                  | 41   | 23.88%                        | 32   | 2.39              | 23   | 10.66                   | 38   |
| Newberry     | 1.58                      | 7    | 14,248               | 33   | 38.20%                  | 32   | 39.44%                        | 5    | 2.18              | 27   | 16.67                   | 28   |
| Oconee       | 0.56                      | 27   | 33,428               | 20   | 47.37%                  | 22   | 22.17%                        | 37   | 3.36              | 15   | 23.08                   | 22   |
| Orangeburg   | 0.43                      | 33   | 40,465               | 17   | 43.95%                  | 26   | 31.99%                        | 17   | 1.61              | 38   | 44.67                   | 7    |
| Pickens      | 0.75                      | 18   | 65,803               | 10   | 57.94%                  | 10   | 24.91%                        | 31   | 3.76              | 10   | 35.84                   | 11   |
| Richland     | 4.90                      | 1    | 218,328              | 3    | 62.70%                  | 7    | 26.57%                        | 29   | 5.44              | 2    | 57.69                   | 2    |
| Saluda       | 0.69                      | 22   | 2,745                | 41   | 14.40%                  | 42   | 33.77%                        | 13   | 1.23              | 40   | 11.25                   | 36   |
| Spartanburg  | 1.15                      | 13   | 153,252              | 4    | 56.53%                  | 13   | 28.29%                        | 23   | 5.22              | 3    | 42.22                   | 8    |
| Sumter       | 0.00                      | 40   | 60,888               | 12   | 57.70%                  | 11   | 30.88%                        | 20   | 2.04              | 32   | 24.60                   | 21   |
| Union        | 0.45                      | 31   | 13,247               | 34   | 46.80%                  | 23   | 35.99%                        | 8    | 4.02              | 9    | 39.87                   | 10   |
| Williamsburg | 0.78                      | 17   | 11,698               | 36   | 32.40%                  | 34   | 31.26%                        | 19   | 3.11              | 18   | 25.60                   | 20   |
| York         | 1.24                      | 10   | 106,655              | 6    | 51.28%                  | 17   | 34.00%                        | 12   | 2.99              | 19   | 41.40                   | 9    |
| Total        | 1.51                      |      | 2,312,068            |      | 53.44%                  |      | 25.44%                        |      | 3.64              |      | 33.71                   |      |
| Median       | 0.70                      |      | 30,705               |      | 47.56%                  |      | 29.77%                        |      | 2.47              |      | 23.84                   |      |
| Average      | 0.96                      |      | 55,049               |      | 49.92%                  |      | 29.55%                        |      | 2.95              |      | 27.46                   |      |



**FY07 Public Library Data Analysis: Circulation, Interlibrary Loan**

| Library      | Circulation per Capita |      | Circulation per Borrower |      | Circulation per FTE Staff |      | Circulation per Hour of Service |      | Juvenile Circulation per Juvenile Borrower |      | ILL Borrowed per 1,000 Residents |      | ILL Loaned per 1,000 Residents |      |
|--------------|------------------------|------|--------------------------|------|---------------------------|------|---------------------------------|------|--|------|----------------------------------|------|--------------------------------|------|
|              | Numerical              | Rank | Numerical                | Rank | Numerical                 | Rank | Numerical                       | Rank | Numerical                                  | Rank | Numerical                        | Rank | Numerical                      | Rank |
| ABBE         | 3.16                   | 21   | 10.75                    | 10   | 11500.23                  | 18   | 30.34                           | 16   | 13.85                                      | 10   | 8.34                             | 23   | 0.58                           | 20   |
| Abbeville    | 2.43                   | 30   | 5.69                     | 27   | 63456.00                  | 1    | 10.30                           | 41   | 9.59                                       | 17   | 17.58                            | 8    | 0.19                           | 22   |
| AHJ          | 1.00                   | 42   | 3.83                     | 37   | 4844.92                   | 42   | 6.42                            | 42   | 5.05                                       | 33   | 0.43                             | 42   | 0.17                           | 24   |
| Anderson     | 3.19                   | 20   | 11.91                    | 6    | 7565.83                   | 32   | 23.83                           | 24   | 19.25                                      | 6    | 7.83                             | 24   | 16.30                          | 7    |
| Beaufort     | 5.42                   | 7    | 7.50                     | 20   | 9577.94                   | 24   | 173.62                          | 1    | 19.99                                      | 5    | 11.49                            | 14   | 2.70                           | 16   |
| Berkeley     | 2.36                   | 32   | 5.28                     | 29   | 7036.61                   | 35   | 24.09                           | 23   | 8.13                                       | 24   | 2.40                             | 38   | 0.01                           | 33   |
| Calhoun      | 2.19                   | 35   | 6.80                     | 22   | 5493.33                   | 40   | 13.34                           | 36   | 6.78                                       | 28   | 6.46                             | 27   | 0.07                           | 28   |
| Chapin       | 7.66                   | 4    | 5.63                     | 28   | 14823.58                  | 9    | 48.39                           | 10   | 17.16                                      | 7    | 21.97                            | 4    | 21.58                          | 3    |
| Charleston   | 10.11                  | 1    | 10.67                    | 11   | 13213.13                  | 14   | 90.17                           | 3    | 20.30                                      | 4    | 16.37                            | 10   | 5.48                           | 12   |
| Cherokee     | 2.90                   | 24   | 5.82                     | 26   | 11077.64                  | 19   | 26.05                           | 20   | 7.22                                       | 26   | 4.69                             | 33   | 0.02                           | 32   |
| Chester      | 2.76                   | 27   | 4.06                     | 35   | 13443.43                  | 12   | 17.07                           | 29   | 4.43                                       | 35   | 16.64                            | 9    | 17.35                          | 5    |
| Chesterfield | 2.39                   | 31   | 5.28                     | 30   | 8003.92                   | 29   | 11.84                           | 38   | 4.41                                       | 36   | 8.67                             | 22   | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Clarendon    | 1.54                   | 40   | 3.23                     | 39   | 5723.78                   | 39   | 14.96                           | 32   | 3.79                                       | 38   | 9.35                             | 19   | 0.06                           | 29   |
| Colleton     | 2.60                   | 28   | 9.06                     | 16   | 8625.83                   | 27   | 21.69                           | 26   | 9.20                                       | 19   | 4.90                             | 31   | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Darlington   | 4.41                   | 14   | 11.85                    | 7    | 11876.92                  | 17   | 28.06                           | 19   | 8.29                                       | 23   | 27.82                            | 2    | 20.77                          | 4    |
| Dillon       | 5.72                   | 6    | 10.96                    | 9    | 19712.78                  | 3    | 21.66                           | 27   | 14.84                                      | 9    | 21.56                            | 5    | 28.59                          | 2    |
| Dorchester   | 4.84                   | 11   | 9.62                     | 12   | 15168.47                  | 7    | 89.39                           | 4    | 10.77                                      | 14   | 1.71                             | 40   | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Fairfield    | 3.05                   | 23   | 5.01                     | 33   | 10372.29                  | 21   | 17.29                           | 28   | 4.05                                       | 37   | 9.62                             | 18   | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Florence     | 3.51                   | 16   | 12.39                    | 5    | 6875.52                   | 36   | 31.87                           | 14   | 12.37                                      | 12   | 8.96                             | 20   | 4.19                           | 15   |
| Georgetown   | 2.78                   | 26   | 3.19                     | 42   | 7054.38                   | 34   | 15.30                           | 31   | 3.25                                       | 42   | 10.92                            | 16   | 13.87                          | 8    |
| Greenville   | 7.88                   | 3    | 14.65                    | 3    | 19922.16                  | 2    | 86.94                           | 5    | 29.78                                      | 2    | 12.11                            | 13   | 10.28                          | 10   |
| Greenwood    | 3.59                   | 15   | 4.77                     | 34   | 9782.52                   | 23   | 24.62                           | 22   | 6.31                                       | 30   | 2.67                             | 36   | 0.72                           | 18   |
| Horry        | 4.57                   | 12   | 8.00                     | 19   | 18170.47                  | 5    | 40.97                           | 12   | 8.55                                       | 22   | 13.16                            | 12   | 5.33                           | 13   |
| Kershaw      | 3.47                   | 18   | 6.69                     | 23   | 13302.47                  | 13   | 30.21                           | 17   | 9.42                                       | 18   | 5.83                             | 29   | 0.59                           | 19   |
| Lancaster    | 3.50                   | 17   | 8.77                     | 18   | 13826.38                  | 11   | 35.85                           | 13   | 8.88                                       | 20   | 0.89                             | 41   | 0.03                           | 31   |
| Laurens      | 2.48                   | 29   | 5.02                     | 31   | 10259.71                  | 22   | 25.56                           | 21   | 5.92                                       | 31   | 6.38                             | 28   | 0.16                           | 25   |
| Lee          | 1.56                   | 39   | 3.79                     | 38   | 7834.50                   | 30   | 10.96                           | 39   | 4.52                                       | 34   | 11.23                            | 15   | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Lexington    | 7.65                   | 5    | 17.49                    | 2    | 19141.28                  | 4    | 78.01                           | 7    | 38.01                                      | 1    | 18.12                            | 6    | 1.32                           | 17   |
| Marion       | 2.30                   | 33   | 3.93                     | 36   | 6184.85                   | 38   | 13.22                           | 37   | 3.38                                       | 39   | 40.20                            | 1    | 16.62                          | 6    |
| Marlboro     | 1.32                   | 41   | 3.21                     | 40   | 6392.83                   | 37   | 10.69                           | 40   | 3.33                                       | 40   | 6.76                             | 26   | 29.81                          | 1    |
| McCormick    | 3.20                   | 19   | 20.68                    | 1    | 10910.67                  | 20   | 14.31                           | 34   | 7.75                                       | 25   | 13.20                            | 11   | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Newberry     | 2.23                   | 34   | 5.85                     | 25   | 9255.67                   | 25   | 17.04                           | 30   | 6.80                                       | 27   | 5.58                             | 30   | 0.29                           | 21   |
| Oconee       | 4.45                   | 13   | 9.39                     | 14   | 14939.43                  | 8    | 30.53                           | 15   | 15.72                                      | 8    | 22.91                            | 3    | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Orangeburg   | 3.08                   | 22   | 7.01                     | 21   | 14173.35                  | 10   | 85.64                           | 6    | 8.71                                       | 21   | 4.15                             | 34   | 0.03                           | 30   |
| Pickens      | 5.11                   | 9    | 8.82                     | 17   | 12610.50                  | 16   | 48.71                           | 9    | 9.70                                       | 16   | 1.73                             | 39   | 0.07                           | 27   |
| Richland     | 8.61                   | 2    | 13.74                    | 4    | 12763.06                  | 15   | 91.27                           | 2    | 21.51                                      | 3    | 2.42                             | 37   | 4.40                           | 14   |
| Saluda       | 1.59                   | 38   | 11.06                    | 8    | 7589.75                   | 31   | 14.60                           | 33   | 10.31                                      | 15   | 17.94                            | 7    | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Spartanburg  | 5.28                   | 8    | 9.35                     | 15   | 8278.97                   | 28   | 42.75                           | 11   | 11.17                                      | 13   | 7.71                             | 25   | 8.85                           | 11   |
| Sumter       | 1.85                   | 36   | 3.21                     | 41   | 5276.38                   | 41   | 22.35                           | 25   | 3.28                                       | 41   | 4.85                             | 32   | 12.39                          | 9    |
| Union        | 2.86                   | 25   | 6.11                     | 24   | 8991.78                   | 26   | 28.38                           | 18   | 5.39                                       | 32   | 8.83                             | 21   | 0.00                           | 34   |
| Williamsburg | 1.63                   | 37   | 5.02                     | 32   | 7334.25                   | 33   | 13.40                           | 35   | 6.32                                       | 29   | 3.52                             | 35   | 0.14                           | 26   |
| York         | 4.85                   | 10   | 9.45                     | 13   | 17378.26                  | 6    | 67.02                           | 8    | 13.27                                      | 11   | 10.81                            | 17   | 0.19                           | 23   |
| Total        | 5.20                   |      | 9.72                     |      | 12466.64                  |      | 48.17                           |      | 14.39                                      |      | 9.74                             |      | 5.15                           |      |
| Median       | 3.12                   |      | 6.90                     |      | 10316.00                  |      | 25.09                           |      | 8.63                                       |      | 8.75                             |      | 0.24                           |      |
| Average      | 3.74                   |      | 7.96                     |      | 12137.28                  |      | 36.87                           |      | 10.49                                      |      | 10.45                            |      | 5.31                           |      |

**FY07 Public Library Data Analysis: Reference, Programming**

| Library      | Reference Transactions per Capita |      | Reference Transactions per Open Hour |      | Reference Transactions per Visit |      | Program Attendance per Capita (all programs) |      | Attendance per Program (all programs) |      | % Juvenile Borrowers in Summer Reading |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|------|--------------------------------------|------|----------------------------------|------|--|------|---------------------------------------|------|--|
|              | Numerical                         | Rank | Numerical                            | Rank | Numerical                        | Rank | Numerical                                    | Rank | Numerical                             | Rank | Numerical                              |
| ABBE         | 0.13                              | 35   | 1.29                                 | 32   | 0.06                             | 34   | 0.14   | 23   | 33                                    | 9    | No Data Available for FY07             |
| Abbeville    | 0.43                              | 16   | 1.84                                 | 26   | 0.31                             | 8    | 0.07   | 33   | 22                                    | 27   |  |
| AHJ          | 0.24                              | 27   | 1.57                                 | 29   | 0.21                             | 11   | 0.10   | 29   | 16                                    | 36   |  |
| Anderson     | 0.18                              | 32   | 1.37                                 | 31   | 0.09                             | 29   | 0.05   | 37   | 22                                    | 26   |  |
| Beaufort     | 0.36                              | 19   | 11.64                                | 5    | 0.10                             | 27   | 0.14   | 22   | 18                                    | 33   |  |
| Berkeley     | 0.21                              | 29   | 2.16                                 | 24   | 0.10                             | 28   | 0.04   | 40   | 29                                    | 14   |  |
| Calhoun      | 0.36                              | 20   | 2.20                                 | 23   | 0.15                             | 17   | 0.09   | 30   | 23                                    | 22   |  |
| Chapin       | 0.77                              | 6    | 4.87                                 | 12   | 0.16                             | 15   | 0.37   | 2    | 22                                    | 25   |  |
| Charleston   | 5.40                              | 1    | 48.17                                | 1    | 0.91                             | 1    | 0.35   | 5    | 27                                    | 17   |  |
| Cherokee     | 0.05                              | 41   | 0.41                                 | 41   | 0.02                             | 41   | 0.15   | 19   | 30                                    | 11   |  |
| Chester      | 0.73                              | 8    | 4.54                                 | 13   | 0.37                             | 6    | 0.21   | 12   | 17                                    | 35   |  |
| Chesterfield | 0.83                              | 5    | 4.09                                 | 15   | 0.42                             | 4    | 0.36   | 4    | 25                                    | 18   |  |
| Clarendon    | 0.09                              | 39   | 0.90                                 | 38   | 0.08                             | 30   | 0.03   | 41   | 25                                    | 19   |  |
| Colleton     | 0.13                              | 37   | 1.05                                 | 35   | 0.06                             | 36   | 0.31   | 6    | 48                                    | 2    |  |
| Darlington   | 0.31                              | 24   | 1.96                                 | 25   | 0.07                             | 32   | 0.21   | 13   | 12                                    | 41   |  |
| Dillon       | 0.41                              | 18   | 1.56                                 | 30   | 0.11                             | 26   | 0.11   | 26   | 15                                    | 39   |  |
| Dorchester   | 0.61                              | 12   | 11.26                                | 6    | 0.24                             | 10   | 0.06   | 35   | 18                                    | 34   |  |
| Fairfield    | 0.18                              | 31   | 1.04                                 | 36   | 0.08                             | 31   | 0.19   | 17   | 16                                    | 37   |  |
| Florence     | 0.43                              | 17   | 3.89                                 | 16   | 0.12                             | 20   | 0.20   | 16   | 39                                    | 5    |  |
| Georgetown   | 0.58                              | 13   | 3.19                                 | 19   | 0.12                             | 25   | 0.40   | 1    | 24                                    | 21   |  |
| Greenville   | 0.73                              | 10   | 8.02                                 | 8    | 0.17                             | 14   | 0.14   | 21   | 34                                    | 8    |  |
| Greenwood    | 0.17                              | 34   | 1.16                                 | 34   | 0.04                             | 38   | 0.09   | 31   | 24                                    | 20   |  |
| Horry        | 0.18                              | 33   | 1.59                                 | 28   | 0.06                             | 35   | 0.13   | 25   | 20                                    | 32   |  |
| Kershaw      | 0.02                              | 42   | 0.14                                 | 42   | 0.01                             | 42   | 0.06   | 36   | 21                                    | 29   |  |
| Lancaster    | 0.35                              | 21   | 3.57                                 | 17   | 0.12                             | 23   | 0.23   | 10   | 29                                    | 15   |  |
| Laurens      | 0.24                              | 28   | 2.48                                 | 22   | 0.13                             | 19   | 0.11   | 28   | 30                                    | 12   |  |
| Lee          | 0.47                              | 14   | 3.32                                 | 18   | 0.20                             | 12   | 0.36   | 3    | 21                                    | 30   |  |
| Lexington    | 2.08                              | 3    | 21.21                                | 3    | 0.40                             | 5    | 0.26   | 7    | 31                                    | 10   |  |
| Marion       | 0.10                              | 38   | 0.59                                 | 40   | 0.05                             | 37   | 0.22   | 11   | 21                                    | 31   |  |
| Marlboro     | 0.20                              | 30   | 1.61                                 | 27   | 0.12                             | 22   | 0.07   | 32   | 23                                    | 23   |  |
| McCormick    | 0.28                              | 25   | 1.25                                 | 33   | 0.12                             | 24   | 0.17   | 18   | 16                                    | 38   |  |
| Newberry     | 0.34                              | 22   | 2.62                                 | 21   | 0.16                             | 16   | 0.21   | 14   | 8                                     | 42   |  |
| Oconee       | 0.13                              | 36   | 0.91                                 | 37   | 0.04                             | 39   | 0.06   | 34   | 35                                    | 6    |  |
| Orangeburg   | 0.32                              | 23   | 8.97                                 | 7    | 0.20                             | 13   | 0.03   | 42   | 23                                    | 24   |  |
| Pickens      | 0.46                              | 15   | 4.41                                 | 14   | 0.12                             | 21   | 0.13   | 24   | 30                                    | 13   |  |
| Richland     | 2.67                              | 2    | 28.28                                | 2    | 0.49                             | 3    | 0.15   | 20   | 22                                    | 28   |  |
| Saluda       | 0.75                              | 7    | 6.89                                 | 10   | 0.61                             | 2    | 0.04   | 38   | 13                                    | 40   |  |
| Spartanburg  | 0.73                              | 9    | 5.89                                 | 11   | 0.14                             | 18   | 0.25   | 8    | 27                                    | 16   |  |
| Sumter       | 0.64                              | 11   | 7.68                                 | 9    | 0.31                             | 7    | 0.11   | 27   | 50                                    | 1    |  |
| Union        | 0.26                              | 26   | 2.63                                 | 20   | 0.07                             | 33   | 0.20   | 15   | 45                                    | 3    |  |
| Williamsburg | 0.08                              | 40   | 0.67                                 | 39   | 0.03                             | 40   | 0.04   | 39   | 40                                    | 4    |  |
| York         | 0.89                              | 4    | 12.36                                | 4    | 0.30                             | 9    | 0.25   | 9    | 35                                    | 7    |  |
| Total        | 1.08                              |      | 10.03                                |      | 0.30                             |      | 0.17   |      | 26                                    |      |  |
| Median       | 0.35                              |      | 2.55                                 |      | 0.12                             |      | 0.14   |      | 24                                    |      |  |
| Average      | 0.58                              |      | 5.60                                 |      | 0.18                             |      | 0.16   |      | 26                                    |      |  |

# DATA ANALYSIS BY S.C. POPULATION RANGE

| Population Ranges    | FY2007 Library Data    | Number of Internet Terminals-FY 2007       |                                    |                                |                            |
|----------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
|                      |                        | Public Use Terminals per stationary outlet | Public Use Terminal per 5,000 pop. | Staff Use Terminals per outlet | Staff Use terminal per FTE |
| 250,000-500,000      | Greenville             | 22.6                                       | 3.3                                | 24.8                           | 1.8                        |
|                      | Richland               | 14.8                                       | 2.3                                | 13.4                           | 0.6                        |
|                      | Charleston             | 19.1                                       | 4.6                                | 21.0                           | 1.3                        |
|                      | Spartanburg            | 19.1                                       | 3.9                                | 16.3                           | 1.0                        |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 18.9                                       | 3.5                                | 18.9                           | 1.2                        |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 15.6                                       | 2.5                                |                                |                            |
| 100,000-249,999      | Lexington              | 14.4                                       | 2.7                                | 12.1                           | 1.1                        |
|                      | Horry                  | 18.8                                       | 4.0                                | 7.6                            | 1.3                        |
|                      | York                   | 13.0                                       | 1.6                                | 12.2                           | 1.1                        |
|                      | ABBE                   | 12.1                                       | 4.1                                | 4.3                            | 1.1                        |
|                      | Anderson               | 20.2                                       | 4.9                                | 11.1                           | 1.3                        |
|                      | Berkeley               | 8.2  | 1.6                                | 10.8                           | 1.3                        |
|                      | Beaufort               | 17.4                                       | 3.2                                | 21.8                           | 1.4                        |
|                      | Florence               | 24.7                                       | 5.6                                | 14.5                           | 1.3                        |
|                      | Dorchester             | 33.5                                       | 2.8                                | 20.5                           | 1.1                        |
|                      | Pickens                | 18.0                                       | 3.2                                | 9.0                            | 0.8                        |
|                      | Sumter                 | 25.3                                       | 3.6                                | 10.0                           | 0.8                        |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 18.7                                       | 3.4                                | 12.2                           | 1.1                        |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 14.4                                       | 2.8                                |                                |                            |
| 50,000-99,999        | Orangeburg             | 5.7  | 2.2                                | 4.7                            | 1.7                        |
|                      | Oconee                 | 9.0  | 2.6                                | 6.8                            | 1.3                        |
|                      | Laurens                | 17.0                                       | 2.4                                | 10.0                           | 1.2                        |
|                      | Greenwood              | 7.3  | 1.6                                | 9.7                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | Darlington             | 11.8                                       | 3.5                                | 5.3                            | 0.8                        |
|                      | Lancaster              | 9.5  | 1.5                                | 9.5                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | Georgetown             | 13.4                                       | 5.5                                | 4.4                            | 0.9                        |
|                      | AHJ                    | 7.2  | 3.1                                | 2.8                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | Kershaw                | 12.3                                       | 3.2                                | 5.7                            | 1.1                        |
|                      | Cherokee               | 12.0                                       | 2.2                                | 8.5                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 10.5                                       | 2.8                                | 6.7                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 14.2                                       | 3.0                                |                                |                            |
| 25,000-49,999        | Chesterfield           | 7.4  | 4.3                                | 3.2                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | Colleton               | 13.0                                       | 3.3                                | 10.5                           | 1.8                        |
|                      | Newberry               | 12.0                                       | 3.2                                | 6.0                            | 1.3                        |
|                      | Williamsburg           | 7.0  | 1.9                                | 4.5                            | 1.1                        |
|                      | Marion                 | 12.7                                       | 5.4                                | 5.3                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | Chester                | 8.3  | 3.7                                | 1.7                            | 0.7                        |
|                      | Clarendon              | 12.0                                       | 1.8                                | 5.0                            | 0.6                        |
|                      | Dillon                 | 17.0                                       | 8.2                                | 4.3                            | 1.5                        |
|                      | Marlboro               | 9.0  | 1.5                                | 7.0                            | 1.2                        |
|                      | Union                  | 20.0                                       | 3.5                                | 14.0                           | 1.6                        |
|                      | Abbeville              | 7.3  | 4.2                                | 2.0                            | 6.0                        |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 11.4                                       | 3.7                                | 5.8                            | 1.6                        |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 12.4                                       | 3.3                                |                                |                            |
| 10,000-24,999        | Fairfield              | 6.5  | 2.7                                | 5.0                            | 1.4                        |
|                      | Chapin                 | 30.0                                       | 6.5                                | 12.0                           | 1.0                        |
|                      | Lee                    | 14.0                                       | 3.5                                | 6.0                            | 1.6                        |
|                      | Saluda                 | 4.0  | 2.1                                | 2.5                            | 1.3                        |
|                      | Calhoun                | 9.0  | 3.0                                | 4.0                            | 0.7                        |
|                      | McCormick              | 20.0                                       | 9.8                                | 5.0                            | 1.8                        |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 13.9                                       | 4.6                                | 5.8                            | 1.3                        |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 10.2                                       | 4.2                                |                                |                            |
|                      |                        |  |                                    |                                |                            |
| South Carolina Total |                        | 15.0                                       | 3.4                                | 10.9                           | 1.2                        |
| IMLS 2007            |                        | 11.2                                       | 3.2                                |                                |                            |



| Library Services Per Capita & Per 1,000 Population-FY 2007 |                        |                               |                                       |                        |   |                                     |
|--|------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Population Ranges  | FY2007 Library Data    | Number of Visitors Per Capita | Number of Reference Trans. Per Capita | Circulation Per Capita | ILL Items Borrowed per 1,000 population | ILL Items Lent per 1,000 population |
| 250,000-500,000  | Greenville             | 4.3                           | 0.7                                   | 7.9                    | 12.1                                    | 10.3                                |
|  | Richland               | 5.4                           | 2.7                                   | 8.6                    | 2.4                                     | 4.4                                 |
|  | Charleston             | 6.0                           | 5.4                                   | 10.1                   | 16.4                                    | 5.5                                 |
|  | Spartanburg            | 5.2                           | 0.7                                   | 5.3                    | 7.7                                     | 8.9                                 |
|  | South Carolina FY 2007 | 5.2                           | 2.4                                   | 8.0                    | 9.7                                     | 7.3                                 |
|  | IMLS 2007              | 4.4                           | 1.2                                   | 7.1                    | 83.8                                    | 82.7                                |
| 100,000-249,999  | Lexington              | 5.2                           | 2.1                                   | 7.7                    | 18.1                                    | 1.3                                 |
|  | Horry                  | 3.1                           | 0.2                                   | 4.6                    | 13.2                                    | 5.3                                 |
|  | York                   | 3.0                           | 0.9                                   | 4.9                    | 10.8                                    | 0.2                                 |
|  | ABBE                   | 2.1                           | 0.1                                   | 3.2                    | 8.3                                     | 0.6                                 |
|  | Anderson               | 2.1                           | 0.2                                   | 3.2                    | 7.8                                     | 16.3                                |
|  | Berkeley               | 2.1                           | 0.2                                   | 2.4                    | 2.4                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Beaufort               | 3.6                           | 0.4                                   | 5.4                    | 11.5                                    | 2.7                                 |
|  | Florence               | 3.5                           | 0.4                                   | 3.5                    | 9.0                                     | 4.2                                 |
|  | Dorchester             | 2.5                           | 0.6                                   | 4.8                    | 1.7                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Pickens                | 3.8                           | 0.5                                   | 5.1                    | 1.7                                     | 0.1                                 |
|  | Sumter                 | 2.0                           | 0.6                                   | 1.9                    | 4.9                                     | 12.4                                |
|  | South Carolina FY 2007 | 3.0                           | 0.6                                   | 4.2                    | 8.1                                     | 3.9                                 |
|  | IMLS 2007              | 4.3                           | 1.0                                   | 6.6                    | 72.3                                    | 82.7                                |
| 50,000-99,999  | Orangeburg             | 1.6                           | 0.3                                   | 3.1                    | 4.2                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Oconee                 | 3.4                           | 0.1                                   | 4.5                    | 22.9                                    | 0.0                                 |
|  | Laurens                | 1.9                           | 0.2                                   | 2.5                    | 6.4                                     | 0.2                                 |
|  | Greenwood              | 3.8                           | 0.2                                   | 3.6                    | 2.7                                     | 0.7                                 |
|  | Darlington             | 4.6                           | 0.3                                   | 4.4                    | 27.8                                    | 20.8                                |
|  | Lancaster              | 2.9                           | 0.4                                   | 3.5                    | 0.9                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Georgetown             | 5.0                           | 0.6                                   | 2.8                    | 10.9                                    | 13.9                                |
|  | AHJ                    | 1.2                           | 0.2                                   | 1.0                    | 0.4                                     | 0.2                                 |
|  | Kershaw                | 3.1                           | 0.0                                   | 3.5                    | 5.8                                     | 0.6                                 |
|  | Cherokee               | 2.1                           | 0.1                                   | 2.9                    | 4.7                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | South Carolina FY 2007 | 2.9                           | 0.2                                   | 3.2                    | 8.7                                     | 3.6                                 |
|  | IMLS 2007              | 4.6                           | 0.8                                   | 7.1                    | 117.8                                   | 126.2                               |
| 25,000-49,999  | Chesterfield           | 2.0                           | 0.8                                   | 2.4                    | 8.7                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Colleton               | 2.2                           | 0.1                                   | 2.6                    | 4.9                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Newberry               | 2.2                           | 0.3                                   | 2.2                    | 5.6                                     | 0.3                                 |
|  | Williamsburg           | 3.1                           | 0.1                                   | 1.6                    | 3.5                                     | 0.1                                 |
|  | Marion                 | 1.9                           | 0.1                                   | 2.3                    | 40.2                                    | 16.6                                |
|  | Chester                | 2.0                           | 0.7                                   | 2.8                    | 16.6                                    | 17.4                                |
|  | Clarendon              | 1.1                           | 0.1                                   | 1.5                    | 9.4                                     | 0.1                                 |
|  | Dillon                 | 3.6                           | 0.4                                   | 5.7                    | 21.6                                    | 28.6                                |
|  | Marlboro               | 1.6                           | 0.2                                   | 1.3                    | 6.8                                     | 29.8                                |
|  | Union                  | 4.0                           | 0.3                                   | 2.9                    | 8.8                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Abbeville              | 1.4                           | 0.4                                   | 2.4                    | 17.6                                    | 0.2                                 |
|  | South Carolina FY 2007 | 2.3                           | 0.3                                   | 2.5                    | 13.1                                    | 8.5                                 |
|  | IMLS 2007              | 5.2                           | 0.8                                   | 7.6                    | 242.9                                   | 235.5                               |
| 10,000-24,999  | Fairfield              | 2.2                           | 0.2                                   | 3.1                    | 9.6                                     | 0.0                                 |
|  | Chapin                 | 4.8                           | 0.8                                   | 7.7                    | 22.0                                    | 21.6                                |
|  | Lee                    | 2.3                           | 0.5                                   | 1.6                    | 11.2                                    | 0.0                                 |
|  | Saluda                 | 1.2                           | 0.8                                   | 1.6                    | 17.9                                    | 0.0                                 |
|  | Calhoun                | 2.4                           | 0.4                                   | 2.2                    | 6.5                                     | 0.1                                 |
|  | McCormick              | 2.4                           | 0.3                                   | 3.2                    | 13.2                                    | 0.0                                 |
|  | South Carolina FY 2007 | 2.6                           | 0.5                                   | 3.2                    | 13.4                                    | 3.6                                 |
|  | IMLS 2007              | 5.7                           | 0.8                                   | 8.0                    | 344.2                                   | 346.5                               |
|  |                        |                               |                                       |                        |   |                                     |
| South Carolina Total                                       |                        | 3.6                           | 1.1                                   | 5.2                    | 9.7                                     | 5.2                                 |
| IMLS 2007  |                        | 4.7                           | 1.1                                   | 7.2                    | 125.8                                   | 125.8                               |

|                      |                        | Staff                          | Library Materials per Capita & per 1,000 Population-FY 2007 |                            |                            |   |
|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Population Ranges    | FY2007 Library Data    | %FTE staff with ALA-MLS Degree | Books and Serial Volumes Per Capita                         | Audio per 1,000 population | Video per 1,000 population | Current Serial Subscriptions per 1,000 population |
| 250,000-500,000      | Greenville             | 27.5%                          | 1.9   | 160.3                      | 208.3                      | 4.1   |
|                      | Richland               | 29.1%                          | 3.6   | 142.1                      | 120.0                      | 7.9   |
|                      | Charleston             | 27.6%                          | 3.4   | 129.5                      | 289.6                      | 7.1   |
|                      | Spartanburg            | 18.6%                          | 2.8   | 148.3                      | 75.3                       | 5.3   |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 25.7%                          | 2.9   | 145.1                      | 173.3                      | 6.1   |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 24.4%                          | 2.5   | 129.3                      | 118.5                      | 5.5   |
| 100,000-249,999      | Lexington              | 26.0%                          | 2.3   | 55.6                       | 127.9                      | 11.5  |
|                      | Horry                  | 26.4%                          | 1.4   | 128.6                      | 56.5                       | 4.7   |
|                      | York                   | 23.8%                          | 1.3   | 47.4                       | 42.5                       | 2.4   |
|                      | ABBE                   | 19.3%                          | 1.2   | 58.8                       | 85.1                       | 1.8   |
|                      | Anderson               | 19.6%                          | 1.8   | 70.1                       | 62.9                       | 5.8   |
|                      | Berkeley               | 19.8%                          | 1.4   | 28.5                       | 39.5                       | 2.8   |
|                      | Beaufort               | 32.1%                          | 1.8   | 77.9                       | 129.3                      | 5.6   |
|                      | Florence               | 23.9%                          | 2.3   | 93.3                       | 73.0                       | 3.6   |
|                      | Dorchester             | 18.4%                          | 1.2   | 47.6                       | 81.5                       | 1.9   |
|                      | Pickens                | 24.9%                          | 1.5   | 36.4                       | 103.2                      | 3.4   |
|                      | Sumter                 | 13.0%                          | 1.4   | 182.7                      | 25.3                       | 3.4   |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 22.5%                          | 1.6   | 75.2                       | 75.2                       | 4.3   |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 21.8%                          | 2.3   | 119.3                      | 115.5                      | 4.8   |
| 50,000-99,999        | Orangeburg             | 28.7%                          | 1.7   | 29.6                       | 48.7                       | 2.7   |
|                      | Oconee                 | 18.1%                          | 2.7   | 74.3                       | 57.5                       | 5.3   |
|                      | Laurens                | 24.0%                          | 1.8   | 104.6                      | 47.9                       | 4.2   |
|                      | Greenwood              | 30.5%                          | 1.6   | 66.3                       | 57.2                       | 5.4   |
|                      | Darlington             | 21.7%                          | 2.4   | 49.1                       | 131.1                      | 5.2   |
|                      | Lancaster              | 25.4%                          | 2.4   | 60.4                       | 67.9                       | 3.1   |
|                      | Georgetown             | 7.8%                           | 2.3   | 114.0                      | 178.6                      | 3.3   |
|                      | AHJ                    | 7.5%                           | 1.1   | 39.0                       | 15.1                       | 6.9   |
|                      | Kershaw                | 26.7%                          | 2.0   | 54.5                       | 68.4                       | 3.4   |
|                      | Cherokee               | 6.4%                           | 2.2   | 51.9                       | 42.0                       | 2.4   |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 19.7%                          | 2.0   | 64.4                       | 71.4                       | 4.2   |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 22.2%                          | 2.6   | 130.4                      | 132.1                      | 5.1   |
| 25,000-49,999        | Chesterfield           | 7.2%                           | 1.6   | 25.0                       | 17.8                       | 4.6   |
|                      | Colleton               | 25.6%                          | 2.6   | 54.8                       | 31.5                       | 4.4   |
|                      | Newberry               | 11.1%                          | 1.5   | 54.6                       | 77.0                       | 2.4   |
|                      | Williamsburg           | 11.1%                          | 1.5   | 34.8                       | 39.2                       | 2.6   |
|                      | Marion                 | 28.4%                          | 2.4   | 50.8                       | 24.2                       | 5.9   |
|                      | Chester                | 32.2%                          | 3.0   | 136.5                      | 34.9                       | 2.7   |
|                      | Clarendon              | 10.4%                          | 1.3   | 80.6                       | 40.8                       | 3.1   |
|                      | Dillon                 | 10.7%                          | 3.4   | 50.2                       | 31.6                       | 9.5   |
|                      | Marlboro               | 16.7%                          | 2.0   | 49.8                       | 64.3                       | 3.5   |
|                      | Union                  | 11.1%                          | 1.6   | 63.1                       | 51.4                       | 4.5   |
|                      | Abbeville              | 100.0%                         | 1.9   | 78.8                       | 80.6                       | 3.2   |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 24.1%                          | 2.1   | 61.7                       | 44.8                       | 4.2   |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 23.4%                          | 3.0   | 150.9                      | 152.6                      | 6.5   |
| 10,000-24,999        | Fairfield              | 24.8%                          | 3.4   | 108.2                      | 245.2                      | 7.3   |
|                      | Chapin                 | 25.0%                          | 3.3   | 206.3                      | 141.6                      | 3.5   |
|                      | Lee                    | 0.0%                           | 1.5   | 18.8                       | 37.6                       | 8.1   |
|                      | Saluda                 | 25.0%                          | 1.0   | 33.8                       | 30.7                       | 2.2   |
|                      | Calhoun                | 16.6%                          | 1.7   | 85.8                       | 70.6                       | 8.3   |
|                      | McCormick              | 9.1%                           | 3.1   | 137.0                      | 55.7                       | 6.9   |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | 16.8%                          | 2.3   | 98.3                       | 96.9                       | 6.0   |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | 20.8%                          | 3.6   | 173.7                      | 175.7                      | 8.5   |
|                      |                        |                                |   |                            |                            |   |
| South Carolina Total |                        | 23.9%                          | 2.1   | 94.0                       | 106.0                      | 5.0   |
| IMLS 2007            |                        | 22.4%                          | 2.8   | 144.9                      | 138.5                      | 6.4   |

| Population Ranges    | FY2007 Library Data   | Expenditure per Capita-FY 2007 |                              |                                   |                              | Expenditures         |                           |                      |
|----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
|                      |                       | Total Expenditure per Capita   | Staff Expenditure per Capita | Collection Expenditure per Capita | Other Expenditure per Capita | Percentage for Staff | Percentage for Collection | Percentage for Other |
| 250,000-500,000      | Greenville            | \$27.17                        | \$17.93                      | \$4.46                            | \$4.78                       | 66.0%                | 16.4%                     | 17.6%                |
|                      | Richland              | \$47.97                        | \$30.44                      | \$9.43                            | \$8.10                       | 63.4%                | 19.7%                     | 16.9%                |
|                      | Charleston            | \$42.66                        | \$28.28                      | \$6.46                            | \$7.92                       | 66.3%                | 15.1%                     | 18.6%                |
|                      | Spartanburg           | \$28.21                        | \$19.76                      | \$4.20                            | \$4.25                       | 70.0%                | 14.9%                     | 15.1%                |
|                      | South Carolina FY2007 | \$36.50                        | \$24.10                      | \$6.14                            | \$6.27                       | 66.4%                | 16.5%                     | 17.0%                |
|                      | IMLS 2007             | \$31.20                        | \$20.36                      | \$4.17                            | \$6.68                       | 65.2%                | 13.4%                     | 21.4%                |
| 100,000-249,999      | Lexington             | \$21.93                        | \$14.97                      | \$3.88                            | \$3.07                       | 68.3%                | 17.7%                     | 14.0%                |
|                      | Horry                 | \$17.06                        | \$11.21                      | \$3.03                            | \$2.82                       | 65.7%                | 17.7%                     | 16.5%                |
|                      | York                  | \$20.44                        | \$13.18                      | \$3.06                            | \$4.21                       | 64.4%                | 15.0%                     | 20.6%                |
|                      | ABBE                  | \$13.26                        | \$8.80                       | \$1.69                            | \$2.76                       | 66.4%                | 12.8%                     | 20.8%                |
|                      | Anderson              | \$25.97                        | \$16.46                      | \$3.27                            | \$6.24                       | 63.4%                | 12.6%                     | 24.0%                |
|                      | Berkeley              | \$17.03                        | \$11.79                      | \$2.94                            | \$2.31                       | 69.2%                | 17.3%                     | 13.5%                |
|                      | Beaufort              | \$28.40                        | \$19.13                      | \$3.77                            | \$5.49                       | 67.4%                | 13.3%                     | 19.3%                |
|                      | Florence              | \$26.13                        | \$13.47                      | \$2.82                            | \$9.85                       | 51.5%                | 10.8%                     | 37.7%                |
|                      | Dorchester            | \$17.30                        | \$11.63                      | \$2.68                            | \$2.99                       | 67.2%                | 15.5%                     | 17.3%                |
|                      | Pickens               | \$24.99                        | \$16.55                      | \$3.81                            | \$4.63                       | 66.2%                | 15.3%                     | 18.5%                |
|                      | Sumter                | \$13.87                        | \$8.25                       | \$2.01                            | \$3.61                       | 59.5%                | 14.5%                     | 26.1%                |
|                      | South Carolina FY2007 | \$20.58                        | \$13.22                      | \$3.00                            | \$4.36                       | 64.5%                | 14.8%                     | 20.8%                |
|                      | IMLS 2007             | \$27.97                        | \$18.74                      | \$3.67                            | \$5.56                       | 67.0%                | 13.1%                     | 19.9%                |
| 50,000-99,999        | Orangeburg            | \$13.33                        | \$7.71                       | \$2.22                            | \$3.40                       | 57.9%                | 16.7%                     | 25.5%                |
|                      | Oconee                | \$21.17                        | \$14.68                      | \$3.20                            | \$3.29                       | 69.3%                | 15.1%                     | ss                   |
|                      | Laurens               | \$13.88                        | \$7.31                       | \$2.95                            | \$3.63                       | 52.7%                | 21.2%                     | 26.1%                |
|                      | Greenwood             | \$25.58                        | \$15.26                      | \$3.46                            | \$6.86                       | 59.7%                | 13.5%                     | 26.8%                |
|                      | Darlington            | \$17.06                        | \$10.84                      | \$2.20                            | \$4.02                       | 63.6%                | 12.9%                     | 23.6%                |
|                      | Lancaster             | \$14.40                        | \$8.96                       | \$1.92                            | \$3.52                       | 62.2%                | 13.3%                     | 24.5%                |
|                      | Georgetown            | \$23.14                        | \$14.99                      | \$2.94                            | \$5.22                       | 64.8%                | 12.7%                     | 22.5%                |
|                      | AHJ                   | \$11.81                        | \$7.13                       | \$1.14                            | \$3.54                       | 60.4%                | 9.7%                      | 29.9%                |
|                      | Kershaw               | \$13.92                        | \$9.00                       | \$2.59                            | \$2.33                       | 64.6%                | 18.6%                     | 16.8%                |
|                      | Cherokee              | \$15.72                        | \$9.54                       | \$2.56                            | \$3.62                       | 60.7%                | 16.3%                     | 23.1%                |
|                      | South Carolina FY2007 | \$17.00                        | \$10.54                      | \$2.52                            | \$3.94                       | 61.6%                | 15.0%                     | 24.3%                |
|                      | IMLS 2007             | \$30.35                        | \$20.49                      | \$3.93                            | \$5.93                       | 67.5%                | 12.9%                     | 19.5%                |
| 25,000-49,999        | Chesterfield          | \$9.36                         | \$6.46                       | \$1.73                            | \$1.17                       | 69.0%                | 18.5%                     | 12.5%                |
|                      | Colleton              | \$20.85                        | \$11.29                      | \$3.51                            | \$6.05                       | 54.1%                | 16.8%                     | 29.0%                |
|                      | Newberry              | \$9.44                         | \$6.17                       | \$2.11                            | \$1.16                       | 65.4%                | 22.4%                     | 12.3%                |
|                      | Williamsburg          | \$9.60                         | \$5.72                       | \$1.49                            | \$2.38                       | 59.6%                | 15.5%                     | 24.8%                |
|                      | Marion                | \$23.15                        | \$13.95                      | \$2.36                            | \$6.84                       | 60.2%                | 10.2%                     | 29.6%                |
|                      | Chester               | \$25.84                        | \$15.46                      | \$3.78                            | \$6.60                       | 59.8%                | 14.6%                     | 25.6%                |
|                      | Clarendon             | \$14.96                        | \$7.89                       | \$2.37                            | \$4.71                       | 52.7%                | 15.8%                     | 31.5%                |
|                      | Dillon                | \$13.94                        | \$8.18                       | \$3.71                            | \$2.04                       | 58.7%                | 26.6%                     | 14.7%                |
|                      | Marlboro              | \$11.69                        | \$7.54                       | \$1.73                            | \$2.42                       | 64.5%                | 14.8%                     | 20.7%                |
|                      | Union                 | \$16.16                        | \$8.76                       | \$2.51                            | \$4.90                       | 54.2%                | 15.5%                     | 30.3%                |
|                      | Abbeville             | \$11.14                        | \$5.93                       | \$2.06                            | \$3.14                       | 53.3%                | 18.5%                     | 28.2%                |
|                      | South Carolina FY2007 | \$15.10                        | \$8.85                       | \$2.49                            | \$3.77                       | 59.2%                | 17.2%                     | 23.6%                |
|                      | IMLS 2007             | \$34.03                        | \$22.74                      | \$4.37                            | \$6.92                       | 66.8%                | 12.8%                     | 20.3%                |
| 10,000-24,999        | Fairfield             | \$21.64                        | \$11.78                      | \$4.06                            | \$5.80                       | 54.4%                | 18.8%                     | 26.8%                |
|                      | Chapin                | \$46.20                        | \$30.66                      | \$8.70                            | \$6.84                       | 66.4%                | 18.8%                     | 14.8%                |
|                      | Lee                   | \$11.65                        | \$8.00                       | \$1.29                            | \$2.36                       | 68.6%                | 11.1%                     | 20.3%                |
|                      | Saluda                | \$8.27                         | \$5.35                       | \$2.22                            | \$0.71                       | 64.6%                | 26.8%                     | 8.6%                 |
|                      | Calhoun               | \$17.21                        | \$11.88                      | \$2.63                            | \$2.70                       | 69.0%                | 15.3%                     | 15.7%                |
|                      | McCormick             | \$14.63                        | \$9.08                       | \$4.07                            | \$1.48                       | 62.1%                | 27.8%                     | 10.1%                |
|                      | South Carolina FY2007 | \$19.93                        | \$12.79                      | \$3.83                            | \$3.32                       | 64.2%                | 19.8%                     | 16.0%                |
|                      | IMLS 2007             | \$33.50                        | \$21.99                      | \$4.40                            | \$7.11                       | 65.6%                | 13.1%                     | 21.2%                |
|                      |                       |                                |                              |                                   |                              |                      |                           |                      |
| South Carolina Total |                       | \$24.52                        | \$15.84                      | \$3.92                            | \$4.77                       | 64.6%                | 16.0%                     | 19.4%                |
| IMLS 2007            |                       | \$31.65                        | \$20.87                      | \$4.18                            | \$6.60                       | 65.9%                | 13.2%                     | 20.9%                |

| Population Ranges    | FY2007 Library Data    | Revenue Per Capita-FY 2007        |                                   |                             |
|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|                      |                        | Total Operating Income Per Capita | State Operating Income Per Capita | Local Tax Income Per Capita |
| 250,000-500,000      | Greenville             | \$28.09                           | \$1.83                            | \$22.94                     |
|                      | Richland               | \$52.40                           | \$2.37                            | \$46.90                     |
|                      | Charleston             | \$44.52                           | \$2.23                            | \$40.00                     |
|                      | Spartanburg            | \$30.47                           | \$1.87                            | \$26.93                     |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | \$38.87                           | \$2.08                            | \$34.19                     |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | \$33.16                           | \$4.24                            | \$26.68                     |
| 100,000-249,999      | Lexington              | \$24.49                           | \$2.04                            | \$20.80                     |
|                      | Horry                  | \$17.17                           | \$2.29                            | \$14.87                     |
|                      | York                   | \$20.73                           | \$1.59                            | \$18.04                     |
|                      | ABBE                   | \$13.23                           | \$2.10                            | \$8.82                      |
|                      | Anderson               | \$22.33                           | \$2.44                            | \$18.99                     |
|                      | Berkeley               | \$18.74                           | \$1.88                            | \$16.53                     |
|                      | Beaufort               | \$28.66                           | \$1.76                            | \$26.05                     |
|                      | Florence               | \$24.88                           | \$1.93                            | \$22.38                     |
|                      | Dorchester             | \$17.60                           | \$1.63                            | \$14.91                     |
|                      | Pickens                | \$25.57                           | \$1.96                            | \$22.40                     |
|                      | Sumter                 | \$14.60                           | \$1.99                            | \$10.56                     |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | \$20.73                           | \$1.96                            | \$17.67                     |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | \$30.27                           | \$2.87                            | \$25.20                     |
| 50,000-99,999        | Orangeburg             | \$12.64                           | \$2.00                            | \$10.43                     |
|                      | Oconee                 | \$22.71                           | \$3.56                            | \$17.99                     |
|                      | Laurens                | \$14.20                           | \$3.66                            | \$9.31                      |
|                      | Greenwood              | \$21.71                           | \$1.95                            | \$18.96                     |
|                      | Darlington             | \$18.23                           | \$2.01                            | \$15.33                     |
|                      | Lancaster              | \$15.85                           | \$3.83                            | \$10.51                     |
|                      | Georgetown             | \$27.53                           | \$5.13                            | \$19.68                     |
|                      | AHJ                    | \$16.74                           | \$8.67                            | \$5.60                      |
|                      | Kershaw                | \$15.72                           | \$3.90                            | \$10.57                     |
|                      | Cherokee               | \$16.51                           | \$1.97                            | \$13.60                     |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | \$18.18                           | \$3.67                            | \$13.20                     |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | \$32.24                           | \$3.63                            | \$26.30                     |
| 25,000-49,999        | Chesterfield           | \$9.44                            | \$1.97                            | \$6.96                      |
|                      | Colleton               | \$20.95                           | \$4.90                            | \$12.16                     |
|                      | Newberry               | \$9.65                            | \$1.94                            | \$7.58                      |
|                      | Williamsburg           | \$10.15                           | \$2.06                            | \$7.48                      |
|                      | Marion                 | \$24.56                           | \$4.83                            | \$18.56                     |
|                      | Chester                | \$24.19                           | \$4.26                            | \$19.28                     |
|                      | Clarendon              | \$15.81                           | \$2.87                            | \$10.67                     |
|                      | Dillon                 | \$13.94                           | \$1.99                            | \$2.30                      |
|                      | Marlboro               | \$11.69                           | \$2.81                            | \$8.56                      |
|                      | Union                  | \$11.39                           | \$2.12                            | \$8.57                      |
|                      | Abbeville              | \$10.04                           | \$2.01                            | \$7.69                      |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | \$14.71                           | \$2.89                            | \$9.98                      |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | \$36.74                           | \$3.43                            | \$30.45                     |
| 10,000-24,999        | Fairfield              | \$24.94                           | \$7.08                            | \$16.36                     |
|                      | Chapin                 | \$53.97                           | \$0.00                            | \$3.45                      |
|                      | Lee                    | \$11.02                           | \$2.49                            | \$7.96                      |
|                      | Saluda                 | \$8.27                            | \$2.62                            | \$5.65                      |
|                      | Calhoun                | \$17.37                           | \$3.33                            | \$13.10                     |
|                      | McCormick              | \$14.01                           | \$4.89                            | \$8.23                      |
|                      | South Carolina FY 2007 | \$21.60                           | \$3.40                            | \$9.13                      |
|                      | IMLS 2007              | \$35.76                           | \$3.26                            | \$29.21                     |
|                      |                        |                                   |                                   |                             |
| South Carolina Total |                        | \$25.51                           | \$2.37                            | \$21.65                     |
| IMLS 2007            |                        | \$33.87                           | \$3.26                            | \$27.59                     |

# FY 2007 DATA: REGIONAL COMPARISONS

| Revenue Per Capita    |                                   |                                   |                             | Expenditure Per Capita       |                              |                                   |                          | Expenditures         |                           |                      | Staff                          |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| FY 2007 Library Data  | Total Operating Income Per Capita | State Operating Income Per Capita | Local Tax Income Per Capita | Total Expenditure Per Capita | Staff Expenditure Per Capita | Collection Expenditure Per Capita | Other Expend. Per Capita | Percentage for Staff | Percentage for Collection | Percentage for Other | %FTE staff with ALA-MLS Degree |
| South Carolina FY2007 | \$25.51                           | \$2.37                            | \$21.65                     | \$24.52                      | \$15.84                      | \$3.92                            | \$4.77                   | 64.6%                | 16.0%                     | 19.4%                | 23.9%                          |
| IMLS 2007             | \$37.66                           | \$2.52                            | \$31.68                     | \$34.95                      | \$22.91                      | \$4.59                            | \$7.45                   | 65.5%                | 13.1%                     | 21.3%                | 22.2%                          |
| Alabama 2007          | \$21.54                           | \$1.11                            | \$17.87                     | \$20.35                      | \$13.54                      | \$2.65                            | \$4.17                   | 66.5%                | 13.0%                     | 20.5%                | 16.5%                          |
| Arkansas 2007         | \$22.08                           | \$1.59                            | \$18.80                     | \$19.63                      | \$11.82                      | \$3.08                            | \$4.73                   | 60.2%                | 15.7%                     | 24.1%                | 11.6%                          |
| Florida 2007          | \$35.43                           | \$1.82                            | \$31.83                     | \$30.08                      | \$18.32                      | \$4.13                            | \$7.63                   | 60.9%                | 13.7%                     | 25.4%                | 25.2%                          |
| Georgia 2007          | \$22.11                           | \$3.70                            | \$16.82                     | \$21.11                      | \$14.09                      | \$2.76                            | \$4.26                   | 66.7%                | 13.1%                     | 20.2%                | 23.1%                          |
| Kentucky 2007         | \$33.76                           | \$1.77                            | \$28.83                     | \$26.41                      | \$15.22                      | \$3.98                            | \$7.21                   | 57.6%                | 15.1%                     | 27.3%                | 14.1%                          |
| Mississippi 2007      | \$15.97                           | \$3.20                            | \$10.47                     | \$14.75                      | \$9.83                       | \$1.91                            | \$3.02                   | 66.6%                | 13.0%                     | 20.4%                | 9.8%                           |
| North Carolina 2007   | \$22.44                           | \$1.94                            | \$18.82                     | \$21.64                      | \$14.84                      | \$2.77                            | \$4.03                   | 68.6%                | 12.8%                     | 18.6%                | 22.5%                          |
| South Carolina 2007   | \$25.54                           | \$2.37                            | \$21.68                     | \$24.55                      | \$15.86                      | \$3.92                            | \$4.77                   | 64.6%                | 16.0%                     | 19.4%                | 23.9%                          |
| Tennessee 2007        | \$16.89                           | \$0.09                            | \$15.26                     | \$16.54                      | \$11.01                      | \$1.78                            | \$3.75                   | 66.6%                | 10.8%                     | 22.7%                | 15.3%                          |
| Virginia 2007         | \$34.18                           | \$2.35                            | \$30.02                     | \$33.90                      | \$22.63                      | \$4.77                            | \$6.50                   | 66.8%                | 14.1%                     | 19.2%                | 22.6%                          |

| Library Materials Per Capita & Per 1,000 Population |                                     |                            |                            | Library Services Per Capita & Per 1,000 Population |                                       |                        |   |                                     | Number of Internet Terminals             |                               |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| FY 2007 Library Data                                | Books and Serial Volumes Per Capita | Audio Per 1,000 Population | Video Per 1,000 Population | Number of Visitors Per Capita                      | Number of Reference Trans. Per Capita | Circulation Per Capita | ILL Items Borrowed Per 1,000 Population | ILL Items Lent Per 1,000 Population | Pub. Use Terminals Per Stationary Outlet | Pub. Use Term. Per 5,000 Pop. |
| South Carolina FY2007                               | 2.1                                 | 94.0                       | 106.0                      | 3.6  | 1.1                                   | 5.2                    | 9.7                                     | 5.1                                 | 15.0                                     | 3.3                           |
| IMLS 2007   | 2.8                                 | 157.2                      | 158.7                      | 4.9  | 1.0                                   | 7.4                    | 171.1                                   | 171.0                               | 12.5                                     | 3.6                           |
| Alabama 2007  | 2.2                                 | 102.5                      | 103.1                      | 3.6  | 0.8                                   | 4.4                    | 31.1                                    | 25.3                                | 14.3                                     | 4.8                           |
| Arkansas 2007                                       | 2.3                                 | 80.5                       | 91.0                       | 3.5  | 0.7                                   | 4.7                    | 9.6                                     | 9.2                                 | 7.7                                      | 3.1                           |
| Florida 2007  | 1.7                                 | 118.9                      | 148.9                      | 4.2  | 1.5                                   | 5.9                    | 18.3                                    | 16.9                                | 24.4                                     | 3.3                           |
| Georgia 2007  | 1.7                                 | 60.0                       | 75.6                       | 3.9  | 1.0                                   | 4.5                    | 47.9                                    | 45.7                                | 15.5                                     | 3.3                           |
| Kentucky 2007                                       | 2.1                                 | 110.8                      | 111.9                      | 4.3  | 0.8                                   | 6.4                    | 16.4                                    | 10.4                                | 15.1                                     | 3.5                           |
| Mississippi 2007                                    | 2.0                                 | 71.3                       | 87.9                       | 2.8  | 0.5                                   | 2.8                    | 8.5                                     | 5.4                                 | 8.3                                      | 3.4                           |
| North Carolina 2007                                 | 1.9                                 | 78.7                       | 70.8                       | 4.1  | 1.4                                   | 5.6                    | 6.4                                     | 6.7                                 | 15.7                                     | 3.4                           |
| South Carolina 2007                                 | 2.1                                 | 94.1                       | 106.1                      | 3.6  | 1.1                                   | 5.2                    | 9.8                                     | 5.2                                 | 15.6                                     | 3.4                           |
| Tennessee 2007                                      | 1.9                                 | 127.1                      | 83.8                       | 3.3  | 0.7                                   | 4.1                    | 7.9                                     | 8.6                                 | 12.3                                     | 3.0                           |
| Virginia 2007                                       | 2.5                                 | 134.2                      | 114.0                      | 4.9  | 0.9                                   | 8.6                    | 19.6                                    | 17.2                                | 14.1                                     | 3.2                           |

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